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THE WEATHER
Fair and cooler to-night; Thursday fair with frost and probably fog in morning; light northwest wind.

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TEACHERS OF 3 COUNTIES CLOSE SESSIONS HERE

Separate Meetings Are Held By Four Groups; Elect Vice Presidents

TWO-DAY MEETING PROVES PROFITABLE

Educators Of Fresno, Kings And Madera Depart For Homes

Thanksgiving Day coming to-morrow caused a more general exodus of teachers from Fresno at the close of the county institutes this afternoon which followed the two day meeting of the California Teachers, Central Section, than is usually customary when institute week has occurred in the Spring.

This morning the four groups of the central section comprising Fresno City and county and Madera and Kings Counties held separate institutes.

Bakersfield Advised

Following election of four vice-presidents for the California Teachers Association, Central Section, which took place at separate institutes of Fresno, Madera and Kings Counties and Fresno City in the Fresno High School this morning, as the result of the amended constitution ratified yesterday, Miss M. L. Richmond, secretary was instructed to telegraph to the Kern County Institute now in session in Bakersfield to apprise it of the Central Section's action and advising it to elect vice-presidents.

Those elected vice presidents are Homer Wilson for Fresno City, Mrs. Mary C. Poemoeller for Madera County, Charles Edgcomb for Fresno County and J. F. Graham for Kings County.

W. J. Cooper

In the election of officers yesterday W. J. Cooper, Fresno city superintendent of schools, was elected president by a large majority. Miss Pearl Small was the only other candidate, and the position was the only one contested. Other officers nominated and elected were O. S. Hubbard, Madera, treasurer; Miss Winifred Wear, Chowchilla, secretary; Delbert Brunton, Fresno; Robert J. Teall, Madera, and Miss M. L. Richmond, Hanford, representatives to the federal council.

Interest In School Grounds

Considerable attention was given landscape gardening of school grounds in the institute session which commenced at 9:30 A. M. At the Fresno city institute reports were read by the delegates to the National Educational Association which was held last summer in Boston. Miss Lillian Hawkins gave a brief talk on Impressions of Per-

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SUN-MAID PAYS LARGEST TAXES

$184,000 To Be Turned Over To Collector Ray Baker

The single largest payment of taxes that Collector Ray W. Baker will receive this year from any one firm will be made this week by the Sun-Maid Raisin Growers, amounting to $184,000. This is the first installment from the association, and the second installment, said General Manager F. A. Seymour to-day, will amount to about $12,500.

The first installment includes taxes on plants and raisins on hand March 1, 1922, and the total for both installments for this year will be about $12,000 less than last year, said Seymour.

The holdover of raisins, which is included in this tax payment, is about the same as last year. Commenting on this item of taxes, General Manager Seymour said:

"That is one of the burdens that this organization has to assume, carrying the crop over March 1st, when assessments are paid. The advantage in this carry-over is that of keeping the surplus off the market and sustaining the general trade; but with that advantage comes the disadvantage of paying taxes on this holdover."

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For French Post

Sir William Tyrrell

SIR WILLIAM TYRRELL, assistant under secretary at the foreign office in London is considered the probable choice to succeed Lord Hardinge as British ambassador to France.

CLEMENCEAU TALK FALLS FLAT; HOST CHEERS THOMPSON

French Tiger To Speak Again At Springfield To-Morrow Night

(By the United Press)

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Only anticlimax remained to-day of the great Thompson-Tiger battle.

Georges Clemenceau's third formal American address delivered to an attentive, but unenthusiastic audience at the auditorium yesterday, appears from comment and criticism throughout the Middle West, to have missed fire.

Mayor William Hale Thompson's much anticipated meeting "against foreign propaganda" turned out to be one of the affairs where precinct police captains waved standards with enthusiasm for a fourteen-minute ovation while a host of cheerers shouted.

The mayor's only direct reference to the Tiger was a compliment to the city's guest as a "patriotic French gentleman", and a profession that Thompson did not believe the United States should participate at Lausanne.

Clemenceau, up early as usual, expressed belief to his friends that his speech had fallen somewhat

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THANKSGIVING TO BE OBSERVED BY FRESNO CHURCHES

Sunrise Service Planned By Endeavor Societies For To-Morrow

The national day for special thankfulness will be observed by the people of Fresno in numerous ways. The young people of the churches will join in a sunrise service on the Will Phillips place, two miles out of the city on the Belmont Road. A morning worship has been arranged by the Fresno-Madera Christian Endeavor Union, breakfast will be served after the service and every preparation has been made for car service and automobile connections at the end of the line.

Union Service

Many Fresno churches will combine in a union service to be held at the Pilgrim Armenian Church at 10:30 A. M. Rev. T. T. Giffen will conduct the service and Rev. Meade Dutt will preach the Thanksgiving sermon. A musical program has been arranged by Mrs. Romayne Hunkins, organist.

Father P. J. McGrath of St. John's Catholic Church has announced two services for to-morrow, one at 8 A. M. and the solemn Thanksgiving mass at 9 A. M. The Thanksgiving mass at St. Alphonsus Church will be at 9 A. M. and high mass will be celebrated at the Church of Our Lady of the Victory by Father M. C. Keating at 8 A. M.

Several churches will hold their Thanksgiving services this evening at the usual prayer meeting time. The First Baptist Church will have a service to-night. The Bethel Church and the Swedish Mission Church will hold Thanksgiving services in the evening of the holiday.

The Episcopal Church will, as usual, observe Thanksgiving Day with special services in St. James' Pro-Catholic. At 7:30 A. M. the Holy Communion will be celebrated

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JAMES COUZENS IS NAMED SENATOR IN NEWBERRY'S PLACE

Mayor Of Detroit Appointed And Will Take Seat Next Month

CLOSELY ASSOCIATED IN BUSINESS WITH FORD

Recently Sold Auto Interests For $30,000,000; Started As News Butcher

(By the United Press)

LANSING (Mich.), Nov. 29.—James Couzens, millionaire mayor of Detroit, was named United States senator from Michigan to-day to fill the seat made vacant by the resignation of Truman H. Newberry.

"Mayor Couzens will go to Washington unembarrassed by promises of political patronage or pledges as to his policies," said Governor A. J. Groesbeck in making public the appointment.

"He can represent the state without being bound by ties of any kind."

Takes Office In December

The new senator will take office at the beginning of the regular session of congress in December.

Although recently reported in ill-health, Couzens has regained his strength and old time vigor.

Newberry resigned following the stormy senatorial career which resulted from charges of excessive expenditures during his election campaign when he defeated Henry Ford.

Began As News Butcher

Beginning his career as a news butcher on a train, Couzens became one of the wealthiest and most influential men in public life in Michigan.

He was closely associated with Henry Ford in the development of the Ford Motor Company and recently sold the last of his interests in that concern for $30,000,000.

Following his retirement from the Ford Company, he was named police commissioner of Detroit and later elected mayor. He is now serving his second term.

His administration of affairs of the city of Detroit was marked by the establishment of a municipally owned and operated street railway system.

BODIES OF THREE FOUND IN RUINS OF BURNED HOME

Remains Of Father And Two Sons Discovered After Grass Valley Fire

GRASS VALLEY (Cal.), Nov. 28. Cary Rector and his two sons, Cary, Jr., aged 14 and Raymond, aged 7, were beaten to death with a hammer, and their bodies burned in the ruins of their home here early to-day, investigation convinced authorities this morning. The bodies were found in the ruins left by a fire which destroyed the Rector home and a house adjoining, at a loss of $10,000.

Examination of the bodies showed that the skulls of the father and oldest son had been beaten in and crushed undoubtedly with a hammer.

GRASS VALLEY (Calif.), Nov. 29.—Officers searching the ruins of two homes burned here early to-day found the charred, dead bodies of a man and two children, believed to have been Cary Rector and his two sons, Cary Rector Jr., aged 14 and Raymond Rector, aged 7.

The two boys were brought here yesterday from an orphanage and were said to have been with their father last night, pending a trip to San Francisco to spend the Thanksgiving with their mother, who is there.

Rector and his wife have been separated.

The fire broke out shortly after midnight and destroyed the Rector residence and a house adjoining.

I. W. W. STRIKE TOPIC OF MEET

Valley Industrial Body Has Secret Session Here Last Night

The directors of the Valley Industrial Association met in their second secret session this week in the commercial club yesterday evening. No particulars of the meeting were given out beyond the fact that they discussed the I. W. W. strike and its possible effects in the community.

S. G. Shannon, deputy United States marshal, stated to-day that while his office has been carefully watching activities of the "wobblies" here, there has been nothing which would warrant a public statement of what has been done.

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Charges Against Mme. Gadski Not Based Upon Fact

Investigation Of Records Of Department Of Justice Proves Singer Not Connected With German Propoganda During War; Husband Exonerated

SEVERAL inquiries have been made of The Bee whether Johanna Gadski, to sing here Monday night, was so involved in German propaganda and frightfulness during the war that an American patriotic audience should not attend her performance.

The Saturday Night of Los Angeles, a musical publication, charged her with celebrating the sinking of the Lusitania and other offenees, and the accusations were repeated in Fresno.

To secure the facts for its readers, The Bee asked its own correspondent at Washington to have the department of Justice pass upon the matter and asked Johanna Gadski for a statement.

The two answers published below prove the falsity of the charges.

By LEO A. McCLATCHY

WASHINGTON BEE BUREAU, Nov. 29.—Johanna Gadski neither toasted the sinking of the Lusitania nor was she in any way connected with German propaganda in this country during the late war.

That was the declaration to-day of officials of the department of justice whose records show that she was investigated during the war, with the charges proven false and she stands to-day as having been in no wise disloyal to this country.

The department of justice knows of no reason why Johanna Gadski should be shunned by patriotic American audiences.

The department of justice also authorized the statement that a review of all information relating to her husband, Captain Tauscher, indicates he is a desirable resident of this country.

He was accused on several counts during the war, but the department of justice officials themselves dismissed the San Francisco cases when they became convinced he was innocent and a New York jury unanimously acquitted him there.

The department of justice lends no sanction to the attacks in California upon either Gadski or her husband, for their records show them to be without foundation.

By JOHANNA GADSKI

THERE is no word of truth in the malicious charges published in Fresno against me, which have been refuted by the department of justice, yet are now repeated when their falsity would be apparent upon the slightest investigation.

It is true my husband was indicted for conspiracy in the Welland Canal plot. But my husband was placed on trial for the above mentioned breach of neutrality laws and the jury found him not guilty—he was unanimously acquitted after a week's trial by a New York jury in the federal court presided over by Judge Sand. Evidence can be obtained for verification of this statement at any time in the federal court records in New York. After acquittal my husband left with the German Ambassy for Germany, before the United States entered the war.

He was the one factor in Germany during the war who used his influence to secure comfort for the American prisoners of war. It was due to his effort that American prisoners were placed together in one camp, instead of being put together with soldiers of other nationalities. This fact is on record and can be verified by officers as well as the "boys" who expressed their gratitude to Mr. Tauscher for his assistance in making them comfortable. Further than this Mr. Tauscher has done more. He assisted American women, stranded in Germany during the war of which proofs can be had and facts are on record.

After my unequalled success at my reappearance in Carnegie Hall, New York on October 30, 1922, on which occasion thousands of people were turned away, I was engaged by a society called the "Course Diplomatique" of Washington, D. C., and when I sent in my program of American compositions and in English, I was asked to change the same for an exclusive German one.

The president of the United States had arranged to come to this concert when discovering that he had to attend a memorial service that evening; he thereupon sent the vice president and his family to represent him. The rest of the audience consisted entirely of United States high officials, such as Attorney General Dougherty and officers in uniform. Representatives of all foreign nations occupied boxes, and the assembly was the elite of the capital.

Also let me mention that in addition to the many courtesies I have been shown at the department of justice, the American Legion in New York, when asked before my first concert last year regarding their stand in the matter, publicly announced in the New York press that they had no objection whatever to my appearance and had other things to do than to interfere with artistic pursuits.

Finally I wish to mention that the American naval attache in Berlin extended to myself and husband the highest compliment by giving a dinner in my honor, and two days later the American ambassador, Mr. Horton, gave a big farewell party at which I also was the guest of honor.

Let me add that my husband has taken out his American citizenship papers, and that I have made my home and established my residence in New York for many years, having purchased an apartment there, that I never denied being a German, and I would not deserve any respect if I had done so merely for business reasons, but I also emphatically deny having ever said, done or even suggested anything in word or deed against this country in which I have made my entire career, wherein I have established my home, to which I have dedicated the best years of my life and where I have an abundance of faithful friends.

Ship Subsidy Bill Is Passed By Lower House

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The ship subsidy bill, strongly urged by President Harding as the only means of saving the American merchant marine was passed by the house to-day.

The vote, coming after a week of stormy debate, was 208 to 184, a majority of 24.

Sixty-nine Republicans, however, bolted the president's leadership and voted against the bill. Four Democrats deserted their party and voted for it.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—A plan to break the vigorous anti-administration filibuster, tying up all legislative and judicial activity in the senate, was brought into action by Republican leaders to-day.

Notice was served that if the filibuster is not abandoned the senate will be held in session over Thanksgiving Day until action can be forced on the Dyer bill.

This apparently futile move to scatter the little group of insurgents only met with rebuke and warning from the filibusterers. They answered that the Dyer bill "shall not pass if the senate sits forever."

Eager To Adjourn.

Senators Underwood and Harrison, in charge of the filibuster for the Democrats, are eager to adjourn the special session. They believe the majority will see the futility of forcing continuation of the filibuster until Saturday and will allow the senate to adjourn late to-day.

Many Slain As Oil Field Men Battle Vigilantes

(By United Press)

OIL CITY (La.), Nov. 29.—A number of men were killed and injured in a pitched battle between oil field workers and vigilantes in the Smackover, Arkansas, gusher field early to-day, according to unconfirmed reports here.

An attempt to run gamblers and dire keepers out of the field, prompted the outbreak, reports here said. Since the vigilantes became active, two men have been shot to death in underworld fights. Two thousand notorious characters were said to be in the field.

One of the unconfirmed reports received here was that sixty-five were killed or injured in the fighting.

Authorities from Camden are enroute to the field.

Reports reaching Monroe were that the vigilantes donned the garb of the Ku Klux Klan in the fight with the lawless elements of the town. This advice said the fighting was near the Quachita Union County line. Monroe advices said searching parties were covering the section looking for casualties.

EXECUTIONS CAUSE RUPTURE BETWEEN ENGLAND, GREECE

Relations Suspended Because Of Drastic Action Of Athens Government

KILLING OF CONSTANTINE MINISTERS IS PROTESTED

New Crisis Looms Following Deaths Of Former Premier And Five Others

(By the United Press)

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Great Britain to-day suspended relations with Greece because of the execution yesterday of six ministers of the cabinet which fell when King Constantine abdicated, it was officially announced.

British Minister Lindley was ordered to Lausanne to confer with Lord Curzon, foreign secretary upon further drastic action toward the Greek government.

He left on the mission immediately, only the first secretary of the legation remaining in Athens, according to a Central News dispatch.

The cabinet members were executed following conviction by a military tribunal of responsibility for the recent Turkish victory over the Greek armies.

Report Of Proposed Ruhr Seizure Denied

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The French embassy here issued a statement to-day denying reports that France had decided to seize the Ruhr Valley in Germany if Germany fails to meet her next reparations payment.

"The French government has instructed the French embassy to deny rumors and reports that the French government had decided to seize the Ruhr Valley," the statement declared.

MEANS TO BETTER MOUNTAIN TRAVEL ARE CONSIDERED

Lessening Of Time And Expense To Tourists In Parks Is Sought

Ways and means of getting tourists through the mountain parks of the San Joaquin Valley within less than a week's time and at a lower cost were discussed by Guy E. Leonard, representing the San Joaquin Valley Secretaries' Association, and B. M. Rastall, director of the Californians, Inc., at San Francisco yesterday.

The advertising of the Pluto Pass Route was brought up at the gathering by Leonard, who also met members of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce. Arrangements were made for another meeting, the date to be set soon, for some day in December of the San Francisco chamber members and representatives of the valley secretaries for the purpose of boosting the Pluto Pass proposal and other necessary roads in the valley.

Trips Expensive

"At present only the rich can take a trip through Sequoia National Park on account of the time involved and the expense of a pack team," said Leonard to-day. "This park is the Switzerland of America and it is up to every one to see that legislation enables the building of first class automobile roads.

"The San Joaquin Valley Secretaries' Association feel that work on the Yosemite paved road from Merced should be completed first, as the two ends are not connecting and it is practically useless in the shape it is now.

Need More Money

"Practically all the money provided for the state for this road is gone and there is an urgent need for $800,000 to finish the project, connecting the Merced end with the one at El Portal. This would give a magnificent stretch of highway directly into the Yosemite."

The Fresno County Chamber of Commerce is furnished pictures for a folder to be issued by Californians, Inc., advertising Sequoia and General Grant National Parks in addition to scenic attractions in other parts of the state with the intention of keeping Americans home instead of going to Europe.

Daugherty Orders Haste In Dry Law Enforcement Cases

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Attorney General Daugherty to-day ordered all United States attorneys to tighten up enforcement of the prohibition law.

In a general statement to all federal authorities, Daugherty asked that all liquor cases now in the courts be expedited and where possible to see that all persons found guilty are given heavy sentences.

Landry, Manager Of Sequoia Club, In U. S. Dry Net

Arrest Follows Raid At Clubhouse And Seizure Of Five Cases Of Scotch Whisky; Marked Money Used In Purchase By Agent Of Niceley

THOMAS J. NICELEY, local prohibition enforcement officer, and W. M. Smith this morning conducted a raid at the Sequoia Club for violation of prohibition laws, arresting George E. Landry, manager, on a charge of possessing and selling liquor and maintaining a nuisance.

Landry was released on $1,000 bond. Five cases of Scotch whiskey were seized, according to Niceley.

The raid was made, the agent said, following the sale of one quart of whisky to a member of Niceley's force under the guise of the friend of a member. The $15 in marked currency that was paid for the whisky was recovered.

The Sequoia Club is exclusive, and numbers among its members some of the most prominent men in the city.

Niceley says that he does not know whether the charge against Landry of maintaining a nuisance will result in abatement proceedings against the club. He states he will apply to United States Commissioner Samuel Hollins for a ruling on this angle of the arrest.

Niceley stated that following the arrest Landry told him that he thought that he, Landry, "should be notified when a thing like this is coming off."

Bonner In The Dark.

Charles G. Bonner, president of the club, said following the raid, that if any sales of liquor had been going on in the club, either to members or others, it was not with his knowledge or consent.

"This is a purely individual matter and outside of the club," he said. "It was emphatically not with the knowledge or consent of the other officers of the club that liquor was sold, if it was sold."

J. A. Reiners, secretary of the club, was in San Francisco when the arrest occurred. He will return at 10 o'clock this evening.

"Not A Club Matter"

W. A. Sutherland, vice president and director of the Fidelity branch of the Southwest Pacific Trust and Savings Bank, and treasurer of the Sequoia Club, said that the arrest of Landry should not affect the club, as any liquor transactions that may have taken place between Landry and other members of the club or others were without the sanction or knowledge of the club officers.

"It is not a club matter," said Sutherland, "and should not be considered as such. It is a matter purely with Landry.

"I never knew of an instance where liquor was sold in the club rooms."

Frank Heim, vice-president of the club, said:

"The Sequoia Club had nothing to do with whatever Landry may have done. The officers and directors stand for the enforcement of the prohibition law in relation to the club, as does every good citizen.

"The officers of the club regret the incident but it must be plain that no fault attaches at all to the Sequoia Club."

FOOD EXPOSITION FEATURE LECTURE GIVEN BY EXPERT

Daily Discourses On Home Making Under Auspices Of The Bee

Taking the drudgery out of housework and putting the spark of romance into the business of home-making will be the objective of the food and household exposition to be held at the city auditorium under the auspices of The Bee next week, when Mrs. Florence Austin Chase of Chicago, home management and domestic science expert, will deliver a series of lectures.

In a series of interesting programs, different each day, Mrs. Chase will demonstrate every phase of modern housekeeping from the kitchen to the living room and library. The part that labor-saving inventions have come to play in the wide awake housewife's daily tasks, bringing smiles and pleasure where once this toil meant frowns and wrinkles of care and fatigue, will be an important feature of the demonstrations.

Exhibits To Be Placed

Those modern devices, in addition to the latest wrinkles in furniture, draperies and other things which go to make up a well-equipped, comfortable home, will be present in exhibits to be made by local firms.

Mrs. Chase is no mere theorist and her demonstrations will be so complete that not a vestige of mystery will remain about household problems hitherto only faintly grasped. In the preparation of foods, substantial, staple dishes and

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STORM IN SOUTH

SAN DIEGO (Calif.), Nov. 29.—A general storm swept over San Diego County to-day. Snow fell within thirty-five miles of the city covering the hills with a blanket of white.

THOSE HEADACHES

After a hard day's work, prolonged reading, or the constant watching of some fine work you are engaged in, you go home with a headache, which is usually ascribed to overwork or some other cause. Experience shows that few people will believe or confess that the real trouble is with eye strain. They prefer to go on suffering these frequent headaches, rather than incur the trouble and expense of securing relief through scientific treatment and the help of lenses.

Why not settle your doubts once for all, by calling on Dr. E. W. Lalane at the new Brix building, and having your eyes tested with his new and superior equipment for both examination and treatment. He will give you an exact report on the condition of your eyes.

MODIFICATION OF CHINESE BAN WILL BE TAKEN UP SOON

Hawaiian Growers Want Exclusion Act Changes Made

(By the United Press.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Modification of the Chinese exclusion act to enable Hawaiian sugar and pineapple growers to import coolie labor into the islands may again be brought before congress soon.

A resolution designed to permit this was under discussion before the immigration committees of both houses in 1921, but shortly after the house committee voted to report it favorably, the whole matter was suddenly dropped.

This action was believed at the time to have been due to administration pressure, brought out of a desire to avoid giving offense to Japan, whose nationals, under the resolution, would continue to be barred.

That renewed activity on the matter is contemplated is believed to be signified by the recent appointment by Secretary of Labor Davis and dispatch to the islands of a committee of leaders of organized labor which fought the resolution when it was under consideration.

The desire of Hawaiian business men to obtain modification of present immigration laws is due to the recent growth of the pineapple-growing industry, which has doubled the labor requirements of the islands. Under present laws, both Japanese and Chinese are excluded.

DISTRICT COURT HAS ADJOURNED

Five Fined For Violations During Busy Session Yesterday

The United States District Court adjourned after a busy session yesterday to convene again Monday at 10 A. M. The fines and sentences imposed by Judge Oscar A. Trippet yesterday follow:

To Sentence Duck

Quong Duck, found guilty by jury of violating the federal opium act, will be sentenced Monday.

Leo George and Goe Galero, after pleading guilty to violating prohibition laws, were fined $100 each.

Mrs. Nora Blanche Wilson plead guilty to having liquor in her possession as well as apparatus for its manufacture, was fined $50.

$500 Fine

Jess Wotten, violation of prohibition laws, fined $500.

Haw Sing, for violation of narcotic act, fined $10; for violation of opium act, fined $200 and sentenced to ten days in the Fresno County Jail. It is expected that after the expiration of Sing's term in jail the immigration authorities will deport him to China.

Mrs. Nolan Is Candidate For Congress Seat

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Mrs. John I. Nolan, widow of the late Congressman John I. Nolan, to-day was definitely in the race for selection to fill the seat her husband's death left vacant.

She announced her candidacy on a basis of continuing the work, particularly on behalf of labor, which her husband had commenced.

Cut Glass

In Beautiful Patterns

There is nothing that adds to the charm of a table like beautiful cut glass. The sparkling beauty seems to complete the table appointments and give a splendor that cannot be otherwise obtained.

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BARROWS ASSERTS FOREIGN DEBT IS POWERFUL FACTOR

University Head Declares U. S. Can Sway Europe's Destiny As Creditor Nation

Keep the allied nations who borrowed money to finance the war under obligation to the United States by not forgiving their enormous indebtedness, advised David P. Barrows, president of the University of California, in a talk late yesterday afternoon at a general meeting of the California Teachers' Association, Central Section. His subject was The Chances of the Peace Treaties.

"We should keep every restraining power we have," said Barrows. "The debt should be a powerful factor in the influence which American statesmen will exert in European politics. For 100 years Great Britain has controlled the destiny of Portugal, because of the unforgiven loans made that country as an ally when the invading armies of France were driven out of Northern Spain."

U. S. Observers Urged

Representatives of the United States should sit in European conferences, declared Barrows. The very disinterestedness of this country would bring consideration to the purposes for which it strives. The United States can direct the course of European politics if it wills for a generation and bring an influence to bear which may determine the destiny of nations.

Navy Is Like Fist

"The navy is a fist," said Barrows—"a fist to strike the blow and not a hand to heal wounds. If we had spent a small sum to send a force which would have stopped the cause, we would not have to send a $100,000,000 for the relief of Asia Minor. We stand in a sentimental attitude, not a heroic one that of following in the wake and lowering the defeated into their graves."

Outlining the results of the war as shown in the results of the five great peace treaties and subsidiary treaties, Barrows passed on to the Turkish comeback.

Turk Comeback Disturbing

The consequences of the present Turkish victories and the position she had won were disturbing to the mind, he declared. The endurance of peace is terribly hurt. Turkey is again defiant. As long as such great results can be obtained by war, then war will be a great temptation.

There was the effect of the Turkish victories on other defeated nations to be considered, the speaker asserted. It showed no satisfactory conclusion to the treaties. The highest expectations had been based on the most illusive foundations.

Must Eliminate Revenge

Regarding the terms of peace treaties, Barrows said, that care must be taken in making them acceptable so that a fixed determination for revenge must not be left with the conquered nation.

"The terms of the Frankfort treaty between France and Germany which took Alsace-Lorraine from the former was not satisfactory. Bismarck himself admitted this later, although he left a political heresy with the people of Germany."

The United States has been fortunate in her peace treaties. The treaties between Mexico, which left no unsatisfied ambition and which rounded out the territory of this country and with Spain which was followed by the quick and lasting resumption of friendly relations, were instanced by Barrows.

Treaty Study Urged

The study of the peace treaties and their consequences was recommended by Barrows for the great amount of subsidiary information to be acquired, both geographical and political, and for the light on human nature and particularly as it is expressed in the organization of peoples into nations.

Dr. Barrows' address followed the rendition of several songs by Arnold Lindquist.

Keppel Gives Review

A review of the teaching profession in the State of California was presented by Mark Keppel of Los Angeles, president of the California Teachers Association. Referring to the teachers' magazine, the Sierra Educational News, he characterized those who ridiculed it as being as contemptible as those who considered the mother-in-law joke a form of humor.

The program also included selections by the Vivace Glee and La Cantara Glees Clubs of the Fresno Technical School.

State College Alumni Return For Institute

Numerous graduates of the state college are visiting their alma mater, having come to Fresno for the teachers' institute. In the last two days the college campus has been crowded by visitors, and students are constantly meeting old friends whom they have not seen "for ages." The state college was formerly the Fresno Normal School, and a large proportion of the teachers in nearby counties are graduates of the local institution.

The flood of visitors is very noticeable, and is especially so at the noon hour, when the usual lines are doubled and tripled.

Madera Superintendent Given Watch By Friends

An unheralded part of the institute program occurred to-day at the meeting of Madera County teachers when Craig Cunningham, superintendent of Madera County schools for the past twelve years, was presented with a handsome gold watch as a mark of the respect and loyalty of the teachers with whom he has been associated. At the close of the session in the dramatics room at the high school, Robert J. Toall, principal of the Madera High School and president of the California Teachers' Association, central section, during the past year, presented the watch to Cunningham, referring to the widespread appreciation of his efficiency and zeal, which is felt all over Madera County.

Cunningham retires from office January 1st, not having been a candidate for re-election.

FOOD EXPERT IS EXHIBIT SPEAKER

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fancy and tasty treats and deserts will share attention. The demonstrations will aim to bring out short cuts to practical economy by utilizing food values to the maximum.

Opening Topic

For instance, the opening topic of the food discussion program for the week is The Value of Fruits and Vegetables and Their Place in the Dietary. This is scheduled for 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. It will be accompanied by a demonstration of salads and salad dressing. New ways of preparing this important part of a well-balanced meal in a wide number of varieties will be shown.

Other equally interesting and practical topics are scheduled for the remainder of the week.

To Serve Visitors

In all food demonstrations the dishes prepared will be served to the women in attendance.

Mrs. Chase has advised that those who intend to follow the course may reap most profit by coming with note books ready to jot down all pointers given, besides the recipes which will be furnished. The women are advised to come with a small dish and spoon of a size that may be conveniently slipped into a handbag. These will come in handy during the demonstrations.

TEACHERS CLOSE THEIR SESSIONS

Separate Meetings Are Held By Four Groups; Elect Vice Presidents

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sonalities, Miss Mary Orr on Expressions of Personalities and Miss Nell Berden on General Impressions.

A reading by George H. Huntting of the Fresno State College, a play produced by children of the Madera elementary schools and selections by the Chowchilla High School Orchestra featured the Madera County institute.

Favor Two-Day Holiday

The Fresno County Institute went unanimously on record as favoring a two-day holiday in the Spring immediately preceeing Easter.

The teaching of Americanization with the aid of music was discussed. Mary F. Mooney, a state director of the National Educational Association told of the aims of that organization in an address at the Kings County session.

Superintendents of schools presided at the respective county and Fresno city institutes.

Teachers Re-Grouped

Later in the morning a regrouping of teachers into elementary and high school sections took place. The former assembled in the auditorium with Charles Edgcomb presiding. Dairy Alford Hetherington Ph. D., talked on The Significance of the Project in Education Procedure.

The high school section which met in the dramatics room was addressed by Miss Elise Martins, assistant E. Rugh of the University of California who was unable to be present. Miss Martins discussed the work and accomplishments of the Committee of Fifteen of the State High School Teachers' Association.

Final Session

Dr. Aurelia Rhinehardt, president of Mills College University is the principal speaker on the program for a general assembly this afternoon. She was to talk on the impressions of an educator in Europe in 1922.

Besides Mrs. Rhinehardt's address the following program was scheduled for this afternoon:

1:30 P. M.

Folk dance—Howitt's Fancy Minuette, San Joaquin elementary schools, Miss Stevenson in charge.

Community singing led by Llewellyn B. Cain.

Reports of committees.

Winter Song .....Bullard
Kentucky Babe .....Parks
Old Irish Mother of Mine .....
.....Von Tilzer
Fresno Male Quartet

Attended By Success

The institute directed by County School Superintendents Craig Cunningham of Madera, Miss M. L. Richmond of Kings and Clarence W. Edwards of Fresno and Fresno City Superintendent of Schools W. J. Cooper, has brought to Fresno some of the most widely known educators of California. Besides Dr. David P. Barrows, president of the University of California and Mark Keppel, Los Angeles County superintendent of schools who talked yesterday and Dr. Aurelia Rhinehardt, who was in Fresno today, the annual meeting has brought to Fresno, A. C. Olnes, state commissioner of secondary education, Dr. Raymond H. Franzen of the University of California, W. W. Kemp, president of the San Jose State College, Myrta McClellan of Los Angeles and Dr. H. R. Stolz, state director of physical education among others.

Shopping Popular With Teachers This Week

Institute Packs Stores But Not Like Old Days Say Storekeepers

Shopping bound, teachers who have been attending the annual meeting of the California Teachers' Association, central district, having been leaving the high school at the close of institute sessions yesterday and the day before on trolley cars and in an almost incredible number of automobiles.

They shop discriminatingly, these teachers, and they are good spenders, the merchants say. But alas, they have less to buy in this year of 1922. In fact, every year sees a decrease in their expenditures, says one of the head salesmen in one of Fresno's leading shoe stores.

Trips More Numerous.

A few years ago teachers in schools remote from the metropolis of the San Joaquin Valley put off their Spring shopping until institute week. Nowadays if the rural schoolma'am hasn't a motor car of her own, one of her numerous beaux puts one at her disposal and trips to Fresno, Hanford or Madera or the smaller towns occur frequently.

Nevertheless the presence of more than 1,000 teachers in Fresno from the county districts and Madera and Kings County means a big increase in sales receipts.

Hotels Benefit.

Fur coats, up-to-the-minute shoes and smart hats can be bought at any time, but teachers must eat and sleep, and so of all the businesses profiting from institute, the restaurants and hotels reap the largest benefit.

Still there is a marked freshness in their pretty frocks which shows recent purchase. Here's the secret. Desirous of making a good appearance from the very instant that institute starts, they do their buying when they first reach Fresno. Saturday was therefore a busy day in the millinery stores and those carrying wearing apparel.

Other business concerns realize that this is institute week.

Photograph studios have had a liberal share of the patronage.

Artificial Aids Sold.

Then, too, artificial aids to beauty are not altogether scorned, a saleswoman in one of the drug stores declares. Confidentially she states that rouge, lipsticks and powder have been selling well since Saturday morning. These are the "fashion, and who would not be fashionable? Beauty parlors where waves and marcels are introduced to both fair and raven locks have had waiting lists, they say.

Even Postmaster George W. Turner is aware of institute, from the vastly increased number of letters and postcards addressed to valley towns and villages.

STUDENTS HEAR TWO EDUCATORS

Dr. Aurelia Rhinehardt And Dr. E. O. Holland Speak Here

Training in the use of the English language and the facilities for gaining an education were subjects discussed at length, this morning by Dr. Aurelia Rhinehardt, president of Mills College, and Dr. E. O. Holland, president of the State College of Washington, who addressed the students of the Fresno State College at a general assembly in the auditorium.

School Improvement

Improving the schools so that the average individual would grow up with an appreciation of American ideals, was the theme of Mrs. Rhinehardt's talk. She stressed the value of excellent training in the use of the English language, calling attention to the fact that there is a large percentage of illiterates in the United States, which is unfortunately not confined to the ignorant and the children of the ignorant. Many children of American parents are unable to speak the English language or understand it when it is spoken, she asserted.

Mrs. Rhinehardt also called attention to the tremendous responsibility resting on the American public school teachers and congratulated those attending the college upon the splendid opportunity which they had to prepare themselves to be efficient teachers and leaders.

Education For All

Education to-day is provided for all, rich and poor and leads from the kindergarten to the last year of college, Dr. E. O. Holland declared.

At one time higher education was limited to a restricted few, usually the sons of men of wealth or high rank, but to-day educational opportunities are open to men and women in all walks of life.

What can a person do, not how much does a person know is the important question nowadays. Each educated man or woman should be able to leave the world better off financially than when they entered it. It should be their aim to cooperate with others in making the world a good place in which to live and work. No man should interfere with the just rights of others.

RECALL PETITIONS OUT, SAYS REPORT

Petitions for the recall of Mayor Truman G. Hart are being quietly circulated to-day and others directed against Commissioner of Finance Charles Dillon are in course of preparation and will be circulated within a few days, according to a report current about the city hall this morning.

Petitions Separate

Both names were not placed on a single petition, it is said, because of opposition to such a program among those who are back of the recall movement, and from those whose counsel was sought on the subject.

Some of the proponents of the recall of Mayor Hart are opposed to taking such action against Dillon, while the contrary is true in other instances, it is reported, and because of this feeling those promoting the recall movement are said to have decided upon seperate petitions which will be circulated simultaneously.

Need 2,610 Signatures

It will be necessary that the petitions be signed by 2,610 bona fide voters of the city of Fresno in order that they be sufficient to permit of the calling of a recall election by the city commission, it was stated at the city hall to-day.

The statutes provide that recall petitions to be valid must contain names equal at least to 25 per cent of the number of votes cast at the last municipal election.

Rev. Cornelius Richert, whose name was prominently mentioned in connection with the recall movement soon after its inception, today stated that he had no knowledge of the extent to which the movement had progressed and said in effect that he had taken no part in the meetings reputed to have been held since the original meeting was called at the First Methodist Church last Friday night.

Corcoran Couple Injured As Horse Climbs In Auto

(By Bee Bureau)

CORCORAN (Kings Co.), Nov. 29.—Guy L. Stewart and Miss Grace Meadows of Corcoran were severely cut by glass from the broken windshield of Stewart's automobile, when a runaway saddle horse attempted to climb into the car, on the highway about two miles from Corcoran.

The crazed horse, rushing madly down the highway near the railroad crossing on the Hanford road, jumped on the radiator of Stewart's car and crashed through the windshield with his steel shod hoofs.

Stewart veered his car to the side of the road and came to a stop, and the horse climbed down and galloped away with blood streaming from his injured forelegs.

Miss Meadows, who was badly cut by the flying glass, was treated by a Corcoran physician, and later taken to a hospital in Hanford. Stewart, who was not so badly injured, is about the streets to-day with his face swathed in bandages.

Home Wrecking By Vampires Is Banned By Court

CHICAGO, Nov. 29—Home wrecking by vampires was outlawed today by Judge Timothy D. Hurley, prominent divorce judge.

Love pirates who pilfer the affections of married persons will be targets of court injunctions, the jurist announced.

Sweeping restraining orders, forbidding guilty vampires of further trafficking in the affections of "abused wives" and "misunderstood husbands" will act as a big check on the increasing divorce rate, in the opinion of Judge Hurley.

If the evidence shows that a husband has succumber to the wiles of a vampire or flapper, the guilty "vampire" will be promptly served with a restraining order, according to the judge's plans.

The injunction will restrain the interloper from "seeing, talking to, or writing to," the husband.

ThanksgivingTales Picked From All Parts Of Nation

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Two hundred Yanks who stayed in France after the war and got stranded, are thankful to be back in Uncle Sam's yard. They arrived on the steamer President Adams, primed for their first Thanksgiving in five years.

FIXED FOR PROFITEERING.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—It cost Louis Spelling, fruit peddler, $25 for alleged profiteering in cranberries. The judge said he had no right to hit his customer in the eye with an over-ripe apple, even though the latter called him a "profiteer."

TOASTMASTER FOR "KNIGHTS"

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Dr. Ben Reitman, president of the Hobo College, will be toastmaster at a free Thanksgiving banquet for 1,000 "Knights of the Road" at "Ma" Greenstein's restaurant on South State Street.

LOST DIAMOND FOUND.

RAYMOND (Wash.), Nov. 29.—"Come and rejoice with me for I have found that which was lost," Mrs. D. B. Looney of Lebam, near here, called to neighbors. In dressing a fowl she found her lost diamond in its gizzard. The stone had been missing two months.

TIGER WARNS OF COMING CONFLICT

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flat. The Tiger's delivery, more that of a kindly old school teacher than that of a war time orator, and difficulty with acoustics were largely responsible for that.

Clemenceau pulled no punches; and at times was more vitriolic than ever before, but the whole thing failed to register.

The Tiger will try again at Springfield to-morrow night to get his message across to the Middle West.

Feels On Defensive.

Those who heard the French war premier obtained a recurring impression that he feels himself upon the defensive. He went out of his way with elaborate statistics to defend previous charges of breach of treaty faith by Germany. In this manner he struck back at his senate critics, rather than by dynamic, pulverizing oratory of which he has shown himself capable.

Warning of an alliance of barbarians—the Turk anarchists, the Russian, the militarists—the German. Clemenceau cried to America:

"You have left before the great drama is played."

He predicted a greater war than that just ended and pictured France as on guard against the new danger. He declared two treaties existed bearing on this threatened war—one between Russia, Turkey and Germany of secret nature; the other, one providing for transference of war material from Germany to Russia. Upon this knowledge of these two treaties, the Tiger based his predictions of a world conflagration.

Plea For Peace.

The Tiger claimed the whole gist of his speech to be a plea for world peace. But he cried out vehemently that France now has neither peace nor war and that American participation in world duties is necessary to ensure the former. Otherwise France, determined to defend herself, must take strong action, single handed.

Clemenceau threw in some pretty compliments to Germany as a nation for which he had had admiration and which "might again be great." The audience, over 4,000, gave him applause that was distinctly more polite than enthusiastic.

Clemenceau this evening wishes to hear the civic opera and to-morrow will lay a wreath on Lincoln's tomb at Springfield.

Y. M. C. A. Budget Drive Makes Progress Despite Absence Of Its Leader

Workers in the Y. M. C. A. budget campaign were hampered in their by the absence of their commander-in-chief, C. H. Cobb, who is ill, but made fair progress to-day toward the goal of $22,500, raising $1,621.50 and bringing the total within $4,242 of the quota.

Directors of the campaign predict that it may require several more days to complete the quota; only about a third of the prospective contributors have been solicited.

In the absence of Cobb, F. G. Haber will be commander-in-chief until the end of the campaign.

Major Shields' division reported the largest amount yesterday, with $581. Major Hughson's division reported $565 yesterday.

Accused Man Freed As Witness Leaves Fresno

Feeling the urge of the wanderlust more than the cry of vengeance, Ed Fliss to-day consented to drop charges against Tom Mahoney. Mahoney was arrested on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. He is said to have hit Fliss with a rock while they were in the "jungles" near here.

Fliss stated that he was ready to move on again and Mahoney was then charged with vagrancy and ordered by Police Judge J. G. Chrieton to be out of town by 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Mahoney left as fast as he could hobble with his one leg, blessing the court and all its attaches for their kindness.

INVENTION DUPLICATED.

Peculiar circumstances surround the application for a patent on a sliding saxophone, which was sent to Washington in October, 1920, by two Fresno youths, Edward Legler, Jr., and Alexander Kohl. Six months later there was an application sent to Washington for a patent on an instrument along exactly the same lines, and invented by two boys of exactly the same age as Legler and Kohl, Louis Mann and Donald Hohn students of the University of Wisconsin. Although the Fresno inventors were the first to file their patent application, the case will be decided on the question of who first actually invented the saxophone.

Raisin Festival Meet Set

Manager H. E. Patterson has fixed Thursday noon, January 11th for the annual meeting of the California Raisin Festival Association. The action was on the request from President Al C. Joy. Invites will be sent out immediately to all civic semi-civic and military organizations of the valley, asking them to attend the meeting.

$1,400,000 FRAUD CHARGED IN SUIT

Prominent Atascadero Promoter Declares Advice Of Two Men Brought Loss

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Allegations that C. E. Gilman and Granville Moore had defrauded him out of $1,400,000 were made by E. G. Lewis, former St. Louis publisher and banker, in a suit on file here to-day.

Lewis is well known as promoter of the Atascadero, California, Cooperative Colony, and of the American Woman's League.

He alleges he entered an agreement whereby Gilman and Moore were to recommend investments to him. As a result of their recommendations, he charges, he invested $1,400,000 in worthless enterprises. He now asks an accounting and the removal of Moore and Gilman as trustees of the companies in which he invested.

THANKSGIVING TO BE OBSERVED HERE

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and at 10:30 A. M. there will be a festival service with special music and an address by Bishop Sanford. The choir, under the direction of M. P. Briggs, will render Jackson's Te Deum and the offertory anthem will be Praise the Lord by Maunder.

Thanksgiving Assembly

At the Christian Science Church, Calaveras and N Streets, there will be a special Thanksgiving service, to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, in the church edifice.

The congregations of the Church of God of Central California, will hold their Thanksgiving assembly in Fresno, commencing this evening at 7:30 o'clock to continue over next Sunday, at the German Church corner F and Los Angeles Streets.

Evangelist Charles C. Mansfield of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, will take active part in the services. Ministers from different parts of the state will be present. A large gathering is anticipated. Hours of service, 10 A. M., 2 P. M. and 7:30 P. M.

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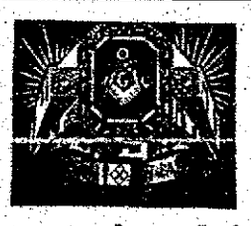

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PLAN IS SOUGHT FOR CIVIC CENTER

Fresno Issues Commission Call For Meeting Of Architects

Preparation of a ground plan and adoption of a general style of building to be followed when Fresno's proposed civic center is started will be sought from the architects of the city as the result of action taken last night by the Fresno Planning Commission, upon the suggestion of Commissioner Miles O. Humphreys.

Invitation Extended

Invitations will be sent to each architect asking that he attend a meeting with Humphreys at which the civic center idea will be discussed with a view to coming to a working agreement on a "Fresno Plan" for the project. The date of the meeting will be set later.

The civic center plan again became a live issue last night when Humphreys declared that the county supervisors soon will be looking to the planning commission for action on the ground plan because of the decision last July to defer action on building a courthouse annex until a definite policy and ground plan of the civic center could be promulgated.

The county's building program was suspended for a year, Humphreys said, at the request of the planning commission, and it was the idea of the commissioner that the commission should be ready, when called upon by the supervisors, to present a concrete plan on which all building in the proposed civic center area can be based.

Opposition Expressed

Considerable opposition to the plan was expressed by Commissioner Glenn De Vore and City Attorney H. M. Johnston, who took the position that in view of the fact that nothing could be done with the project at this time, that it should be held in abeyance until the city zoning question has been disposed of.

Commissioners Louis Gundelfinger, Rev. Thomas T. Giffen and Mrs. George H. Taylor consistently supported Humphreys, basing their arguments upon the declaration that the commission is definitely committed to a proposal of offering to the county supervisors a plan under which the county can work when ready to begin building operations on the proposed courthouse annex.

No Bond Issue

The city planning commission does not contemplate the inauguration of any campaign for a bond issue to provide for the city's part in the proposed civic center project, according to unanimous opinion expressed last night.

Maps of proposed subdivisions which were before the commission were referred to the map committee for action.

Acceptance of the city zoning map was defeted until the next meeting of the commission, which will be held next Tuesday night. The completed map was discussed in detail, and with a few minor modifications, probably will be adopted at the next meeting.

Babe 14 Months Old Speaks Six Languages

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29—Little Michelene Gensburger, aged 14 months, called for milk in six languages at her hotel here to-day.

She is with her mother, Mrs. Victor D. Gensburger, of Shanghai, China, en route back home after a trip to Europe and the United States.

Although only 14 months old, her vocabulary embraces Russian, French, English, German, Italian and Chinese.

Scientists declare she has a genius for picking up any language she hears spoken.

Marriage Of Aged Inventor And Society Leader Announced

CHICAGO, Nov. 29—The marriage of John Taylor Cowles, 70, millionaire inventor, to Mrs. Sophie Delavan, 40, noted Chicago club woman, five months ago, was made known to-day.

The aged millionaire presented his wife at a dinner party of prominent society people.

Armenian Women Give Benefit Entertainment

The Armenian Ladies' Orphans' Benevolent Association gave an entertainment last evening at the Fresno Auditorium for the benefit of twenty Armenian orphans who they are supporting in Armenia.

On the committee for the evening were. Mrs. A. Rustigian and Mrs. L. Tatarian. Zartine Boghasian was the leader of the orchestra.

A group of young women gave a recitation, Old and New Thanksgiving. An operetta under the leadership of Miss Boghasian was a feature of the entertainment.

LOCAL MAN IN ARGENTINA.

James Dalley of 3114 Iowa Avenue, who left New York on October 4th for Argentina, where he will become superintendent of operations for the Standard Oil Company, arrived in Buenos Aires on the 4th inst., according to advices received by Mrs. J. C. Dalley. He expected to spend a short time in the Argentine capital, prior to beginning the 200-mile trip inland to the scene of operations.

CAMP SITES WILL BE INVESTIGATED

Committee Authorizes Report On Merits Of Various Locations

Following a two-hour deliberation at a meeting yesterday of the new camp site committee appointed recently by Mayor Truman C. Hart, immediate action toward obtaining a location for the city's municipal camp ground was favored, Manager H. E. Patterson of the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce announced to-day.

Patterson Instructed

The committeemen, Edwin Einstein, chairman; B. A. Newman, Charles R. Jackson, H. L. Aldrich, William Shaw and E. E. Anderson, instructed Patterson at the local chamber meeting yesterday to inspect all the proffered sites and many additional ones which might be suitable, before another meeting of the committee is called. A report of this investigation will be made at the next session.

The city commissioners, who have objected to the camp site being in Roeding Park, have agreed to permit campers to use a part of this park for nine months.

Report Made

At the meeting yesterday a report was heard from J. W. Gregg, landscape engineer of the University of California, in which he stated that municipally owned public camp grounds properly equipped and maintained prevents the tendency toward unsanitation and spreading of disease.

"Camping grounds for tourists are gaining in favor throughout the United States," said Patterson to-day. "Nearly every city and town of importance on the Lincoln Highway has provided municipal camp grounds for travelers. Denver has three that are probably the best in the world.

"Salt Lake City has one at the ball park but the tourist is charged a certain sum for entering.

Three Pardons Granted By Governor Stephens

SACRAMENTO (Calif.), Nov. 29.—Three pardons and two commutations of sentences have been signed by Governor William Stephens.

George W. Herrington of San Diego, James A. Rummel of Stockton and George M. Zenetgraf of Eldorado County are pardoned. Sentences of B. Levine of San Francisco and Arnold V. Thompson of San Mateo County are commuted.

News From Bay District

Knights To Nominate—Officers to serve for the coming year will be nominated by California Lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias, at a meeting in King Solomon Hall, 1739 Filmore Street, San Francisco, Thursday evening, December 7. The election will take place the following week and the new officers will be installed at public ceremonies January 4. Offices to be filled are chancellor commander, vice chancellor, prelate, master of work, keeper of records and seal, master of exchequer, master of finance, inner guard, outer guard and board of trustees. Attorney A. M. Marks was elected to serve the unexpired term as prelate at the last meeting of the lodge.

Thanksgiving Fete—San Francisco Elks and their wives will meet at their clubhouse at 540 Powell Street to-morrow evening for their annual Thanksgiving dinner and entertainment. A special spread will be served in the jinks hall and dining room, to be followed by an entertainment and motion pictures. The largest class of candidates ever initiated into the local lodge will be obligated Friday evening when fifty-four Bills-elect will be received into the order. Officers of Alameda Lodge will conduct the ritualistic work.

Information Sought—Recognition of the work of the California Industrial Accident Commission is evidenced in the constant requests of organizations in other states for information concerning the functions and administration of the local body. In a letter received at San Francisco by Will J. French, chairman of the accident board, from the Conference Board of Physicians in Industry, with headquarters in New York City, French was asked to furnish information concerning the requirements for factory inspectors in California, together with other minute details as to the management of factory inspection in this state.

Ball For Charity—There will be rich hues, light and music at the San Francisco Exposition Auditorium to-night when the Native Sons and Daughters' twelfth annual prize masquerade ball in aid of the fund for homeless children will be given. A joint committee annually places homeless children in childless homes. This year, according to Chairman James A. Wilson, the demand for tickets has been remarkably large. The grand march will be headed by Mayor Rolph and Mrs. Rolph, other city and state officials and their wives, and officers of the two grand parlors.

Fined For Rum Sale—United States District Judge William C. Van Fleet gave Dan Lehone, who formerly conducted a soft drink establishment at 1391 Harrison Street, in San Francisco, something to be thankful for on Thanksgiving. Lehone pleaded guilty in the United States District Court to violating the national prohibition law. He was fined $150. He did not have the money and could not secure it until after Thanksgiving, so Judge Van Fleet ordered that Lehone did not have to pay the money until after the holiday.

Delay Appointment—Selection of a superintendent of San Francisco schools to succeed Alfred Roncoveri when his term expires, December 31, probably will not be made until next year. In making this announcement, the board of education pointed out that several educators were being considered but that all of these now were under contract elsewhere until the end of the school year next June. If a new superintendent is chosen before the end of the year, it is probably that he will not take office until July, 1923, the board stated.

Richmond Wins School — San Francisco's first new school under the $12,000,000 bond issue voted last week, probably will be built in Richmond District, according to announcement by the board of education. Intensive study is to be made immediately to determine where the school is to be located and whether it will be an elementary, junior high or senior high school. At the same time a survey will be made of present Richmond schools with a view of rehabilitating some and relieving congestion.

Damage Suit Compromised—A $50,000 damage suit, brought by Mrs. A. Constantine of 824 Cabrillo Street, San Francisco, against the Market Street Railway Company, has been compromised for $2,500. Attorney Raymond Perry informed the court that the compromise was accepted because physicians had advised Mrs. Constantine that the ordeal of a court trial would kill her. She was partly paralyzed by injuries received in a street car collision.

Cruelty Wins Divorce—Charges of intoxication and cruelty won a divorce in San Francisco for Mrs. Marjorie Carrington from Olo R. Carrington, Los Angeles druggist. Mrs. Carrington alleged that her husband stayed out all night, frequently was intoxicated and sometimes struck her. Mrs. Sadie Woodside, 1086 Bush Street, testified that she had seen Carrington knock his wife down. They were married at Santa Rosa in 1918.

Short Weight Costs $50—Colombo Pace, 444 Castro Street, San Francisco, was fined $50 by Police Judge Lazarus for selling short weight butter. Pace was arrested by James Hughes, chief deputy sealer of weights and measures, who announced yesterday that all markets would be visited and those found selling short weight turkeys, bread or butter, would be prosecuted.

Suspect Cleared—Leonard Orr, arrested for burglary, has been acquitted by San Francisco courts. He was charged with breaking into the home of Charles M. Fickert, former district attorney. Two other charges of burglary pending against Orr were dismissed by Judge Ward.

Presbyterian Church To Be Dedicated To-Night

The Arlington Heights Presbyterian Church will dedicate its completed building this evening. Members of the First Presbyterian Church, Westminster Presbyterian Church and the Arlington Heights congregation, will be present.

Rev. William Louch, pastor, will give a history of the church and the following ministers will participate in the ceremony: Rev. W. T. Wiley, Rev. H. H. Bell and Rev. A. O. Raber.

The building committee, composed of A. C. Leonard, R. Hicks, E. Dunkel and W. Cornell will present the completed structure without incumberances.

Druggists Organize Branch Association

Druggists from Fresno and Madera Counties organized a branch unit of the California State Pharmaceutical Association at a meeting held last night at the Hughes Hotel.

The officers elected who will direct the affairs of the unit are: E. R. Casner, president; F. R. Quick, vice president, and Floyd C. Lynn, secretary-treasurer.

By-laws and a constitution, modelled after the state organization, were adopted. The body will meet the third Friday of each month at the noon luncheon at the Commercial Club.

Ground Breaking For Temple Is Postponed

Ceremonies connected with breaking ground for the Temple Beth Israel at Calaveras and N Streets, which had been announced for Thanksgiving Day, have been postponed until December 10th, said Rabbi A. Segel to-day.

This postponement in the formal opening program does not mean that the building will be delayed, said Rabbi Segel, but is made because high dignitaries of the church who are desired at the ceremony could no be present Thanksgiving ay.

Plans are practically finished, it is understood, and work on the building will proceed within a few weeks.

The building committee will meet to-morrow at 11 o'clock at the Commercial Club, to accept the preliminary plans for the new temple. Members of the committee are: D. L. Newman, F. B. Goodman, Ben Tyre and Louis Slater.

Two Dead, Three Injured In Still Explosion

PHILADELPHIA (Pa.), Nov. 29.—One man was killed instantly, one died in Roosevelt Hospital today and three others are in hospitals probably fatally injured as the result of an explosion of a 100 gallon still that was being operated in a stable here last night.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ream and their two children, accompanied by Mrs. Craig, registered at the Sequoia Hotel yesterday from Paradise.

Charles Harris, T. J. Peterson and C. R. Butz of Coalinga are guests at the Sequoia Hotel.

H. V. Neely of Stockton stayed at the Sequoia Hotel yesterday.

Howard Elliott registered at the Sequoia Hotel yesterday from Visalia.

D. K. Moses and J. J. Light, general representatives of an automobile body company, registered at the Palace Hotel yesterday from San Francisco.

R. H. Harris of Visalia is a guest at the Palace Hotel.

P. J. Senna of Rio Vista is stopping at the Palace Hotel.

E. E. Lichtig, Oakland business man, stopped at the Palace Hotel yesterday.

C. Engel of Porterville is a guest at the Palace Hotel.

T. E. Knowland of Lebec stopped at the Palace Hotel yesterday.

W. J. Johnson, merchant of Reno, is a guest at the Palace Hotel.

Nick Fabeis, Firebaugh business man, stopped at the Hughes Hotel yesterday.

W. W. Hendricks of North Fork is staying at the Hughes Hotel.

L. A. Robinson registered at the Hughes Hotel yesterday from Merced.

G. M. Voorheis of Modesto is a guest at the Hughes Hotel.

J. H. Webster and S. E. Driscoll of Coalinga are staying at the Hughes Hotel.

Paul Derkum of Bakersfield is stopping at the Hotel Fresno.

Thomas G. Gerdine of the United States Geological Survey is a guest at the Hotel Fresno.

W. A. Cummings and E. H. Vaden registered at the Hotel Fresno yesterday from Big Creek.

Mrs. L. E. Wadsworth and son of Roseberg, Oregon, stopped at the Palace Hotel yesterday during their auto tour of the valley.

Mrs. G. P. Austin and her daughter and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Debull, all of Oxnard, were guests yesterday at the Palace Hotel.

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Only 16 Arrests Made In Fresno Day's Record

Only sixteen arrests for all sorts of crimes and near-crimes were made by the police department yesterday. According to Corporal S. G. Davis, acting bailiff in the police court, this morning was the lightest court morning in six months.

50-Cent Turkey Plentiful Here

The price of turkey has not exceeded that predicted several weeks ago by local marketmen.

Freshly killed birds are selling to-day for 48 to 55 cents a pound in local markets and, contrary to the reports on the scarcity of turkeys this year, a plentiful supply is on hand in Fresno. The general price is 50 cents a pound.

Man Held On Charges Of Burglary, Arson, After Conflagration

Sessario Navario was booked at police headquarters last night on two charges, arson and burglary. Navario was arrested by Patrolmen C. L. Wakefield and A. J. Pascoe. The arrest followed a fire at the home of Mrs. A. Figueroa, 1531 Inyo Street.

Navario was questioned at police headquarters by Assistant Fire Chief Ralph Williams, Police Sergeant E. A. Fornes and Police Inspector J. L. Broad. Following the questioning Navario was booked on a charge of burglary by Wakefield and Pascoe and then on a charge of arson by Fornes and Broad.

In their report on the case Wakefield and Pascoe state that they found a phonograph belonging to Mrs. Figueroa in the home of Navario. Broad and Fornes charge Navario with having entered the home of Mrs. Figueroa and set fire to her bed.

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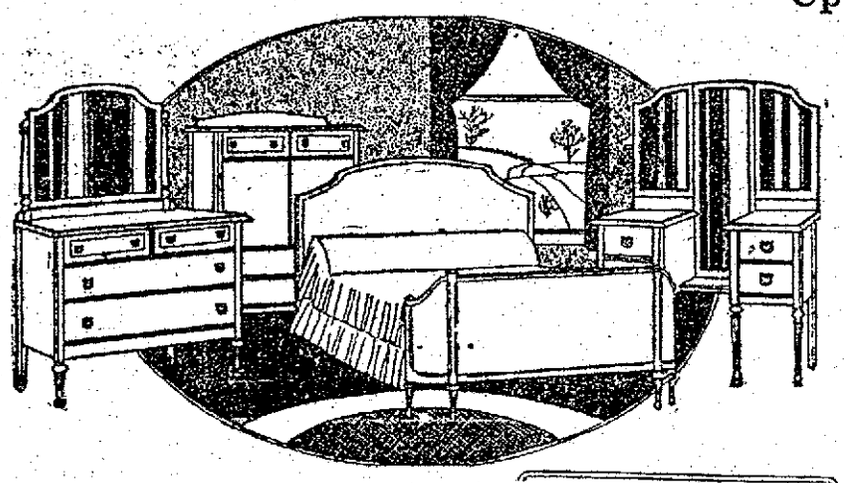

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The Deductions of Harvey Hunt

By PHILIP FRANCIS NOWLAN

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Yesterday's Mystery Solution

"It's the hardest thing," said Harvey Hunt to Sheriff Maguire, in explaining the puzzle of the Vanishing Footprints, "to keep our perfectly good brains from getting that paralyzed feeling when we run up against a mystery that smacks of the supernatural. It was one of the things I had to fight the hardest against when I was new at this work. If you go at a problem like this with the possibility of the supernatural in your thoughts you're half beaten beforey ou begin.

"Here we read from the footprints and the other marks in the dust that apparently Sim Gilson walked out into the middle of this stretch of ground, that he was overtaken by something, that he struggled and was dragged for some distance. Then the marks vanish from the soft alkali dust. The thing that throws our reason out of gear and brings us that sense of the supernatural is the fact that there are no hoof marks nor any other kinds of marks about, except what looks to be the work of a lariat or rope.

"But suppose we forget, Sheriff, that there are no hoof marks. Suppose we assume that such marks were there, how would you explain the fact that Gilson's footprints disappeared?"

"Easy," laughed Maguire. "They'd disappear because Gilson had been lifted off the ground."

"That's precisely what happened, then," Hunt continued. "And the only thing that can lift a man off the ground without itself touching the earth is an airplane or a balloon. Hence the rope mark. Since airplanes and dirigibles are likely to fly over apparently deserted ground in the dark to kidnap people, I would say that Gilson had an appointment with the pilot, which establishes his guilt rather than foul play. The latter would have alighted to take on the passenger.

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Can you solve this mystery of—

The Second Key

The express company put in a modern safe immediately, but that didn't help Billy Meath, the agent at Round Hill, who was under arrest on a charge of abstracting a package containing $18,000 in currency from the old safe.

It looked mighty bad for Meath. The safe hadn't been broken into. It had just been unlocked. Furthermore, even though the lock was one of those old-style affairs, like an ordinary door lock, there hadn't been an opportunity, at the time Meath testified the robbery had taken place for any on to have picked the lock.

There was only one key to the safe. Meath kept this on his own key ring, and wasn't supposed to allow it out of his possession. Meath was on duty from 8:30 in the morning until 5 in the afternoon, from the time the express office opened until it closed. He had one assistant, a new man, but he had left him alone in the office only a few seconds.

The robbery occurred in broad daylight, about 10 o'clock in the morning, according to Meath's story. The package of currency had been there for two days, waiting for the addressee to come and claim it. Meath and Gross (that was the assistant's name) had receipted for it and registered it, and Meath had placed it on the second shelf of the safe.

"It was just about 9:58," said Meath, "when I opened the safe to get a little jewelry parcel a Mr. Everett Jones called for. The money was there then. I locked the safe afterward and put the key in my pocket. Then I noticed my watch had run down, and I told Gross I was going to step outside and set it by the station clock. I had to go about thirty feet down the platform to see the clock, but I wasn't gone half a minute. When I came back Gross was at his desk as usual. He went to lunch at 12. About 12:20 I had occasion to open the safe again and discovered the money was missing.

"Did you ever let Gross have the key?" asked Harvey Hunt, who was investigating the theft for the company.

"Only once," declared Meath, "and then I felt I'd made a mistake. Never liked the fellow's looks. I was afraid he might take a wax impression of the key, so I watched him close. But he didn't have anything in his hand but a piece of paper, and he brought the key right back to me. I even examined the key to see if there were any particles of wax sticking to it, but there weren't. That was about three days before the theft."

"Well, Meath," Hunt said, "it's clearly between you and Gross. It looks bad for you, but you've got a long spotless record with the company, and this Gross chap hasn't any record at all. I'm betting on your honesty and his guilt."

"But how could he manage it, Hunt? He wasn't alone long enough to pick the lock, and he couldn't have gotten an impression of the key——"

"Yes, he could," interrupted the criminal investigator.

"But how?" queried the astonished express agent.

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Can you explain how he could have gotten it?

The answer will appear to-morrow.

LODGE NEWS

A Thanksgiving ball will be given to-night at the Fresno Auditorium under the auspices of the Pitlaches Tribe of Red Men.

One of the features of the evening will be the turkeys and pigs which will be given away as door prizes.

A specially selected jazz orchestra will furnish the music. The affair is open to the public. Dancing will start at 9 o'clock.

COLLISION INVESTIGATED

R. C. Clark, 1911 Forthcamp, reported to the police last night that his roadster, standing in front of the Federal Building, had been struck by another car yesterday evening. Clark states he was unable to locate the owner of the other car but obtained the license number. The police are investigating.

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SOCIAL NEWS

MR. AND MRS. ORVAL OVERALL will come from their home in Lemon Cove to-day to be the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Griffith for a few days. To-morrow Mr. and Mrs. Griffith will entertain with dinner in the evening, the guests to go to the theater after the dinner. In the group will be Mr. and Mrs. J. Blaine Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Overall and Charles E. Butner. Little Patricia and Betty Rogers will be among the dinner guests also.

Mrs. Jay Scott has gone to San Francisco to be the guest of Captain and Mrs. Arthur Lincoln Sorle during the Thanksgiving holidays.

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The wedding of Miss Irene Frances Fulstone and W. Waldon Hurst will be an event of this evening at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hurst, in Kingsburg. The ceremony will be performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. A. Berton of Riverbend in the presence of sixty guests, including relatives and friends.

The home is decorated with flowers and greenery, the flowers carrying out a color scheme of orchid and white.

The bride will wear a handsome gown made of orchid colored georgette crepe and silver cloth. She will be attended by Miss Lorreta Lang, who will wear a pretty frock of yellow crepe trimmed with silk lace. Little Norris Kramling will be the flower girl.

Roy Taylor will be the best man. Following the ceremony there will be a reception and supper.

Several guests from Fresno motored to Kingsburg for the wedding.

The new home will be made in Fresno in an apartment on Q Street.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding will be the bride's mother, Mrs. C. M. Fulstone, of Palo Alto, and the bride's grandfather and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Fagan, of Santa Paula.

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Miss Isabel Avila returned to Fresno from Berkeley with her aunt, Mrs. Charles M. Griffith, Sunday, and Miss Anita Avila will arrive this evening from Berkeley to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Avila during the Thanksgiving holidays. Miss Kathryn Britweiser of Susanville will accompany Miss Avila home this evening and will be a guest in the Avila home for a few days.

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Miss Elizabeth Grant Kamm will return to-night from San Rafael, where she has been attending Dominican Convent and will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Kamm, at their home on L Street.

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Miss Virginia Frear of Honolulu and Miss Ethel Dawson arrived last evening from Oakland. They are room-mates at Mills College and will visit in the P. T. Dawson home for a few days. They will leave Saturday for Stockton, where they will be the house-guests of Mrs. George Wilhoit and will be among the guests at the Mills College dance to be given Saturday evening.

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Mrs. C. W. Bosley entertained the members of the Rubaiyat Club with luncheon at her home on Harrison Avenue yesterday afternoon. A color scheme of rose and blue was used in the appointments of the luncheon table, with a corsage bouquet for each guest. Those present were the Misses Juanita Burger, LaVern Ingram, Fawn Silter, Vera Keyser, Muriel Kelly, Ruth Irwin, Maybelle Maag, Bernice Scott, and Mesdames W. Sidney Browne, Aimee Lydia Kilty and A. O. Richmond. Miss La Vern Ingram will be the next hostess.

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R. C. Campbell is leaving to-night for Oakland, where he will visit his mother.

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Miss Annabel Hedrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hedrick, became the bride of C. H. Jamison this morning at a pretty ceremony performed at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. P. H. Hayley of the United Presbyterian Church in Monmouth. The bride wore a brown velvet dress with a becoming hat. There were no attendants.

After a honeymoon in San Francisco they will return to Fresno, where they will make their home on Thomas Avenue.

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The Good Time Sewing Club will meet two weeks from this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Roy Ryckman.

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Miss Marjorie McGuire will arrive from Mills College this evening and will visit her mother, Mrs. O. L. Everts. She will have as her guest, Miss Alice Pitcher of Los Angeles.

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Mrs. A. L. Hoover is the house guest of her sister, Mrs. Harold R. McDonald, while a visitor here to-day. She arrived last night from San Francisco on a one-day visit, while en route to her home in Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Hoover were among those attending the Stanford-California football game last Saturday.

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Mrs. Ernest Miller is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Leland W. Cutler, at her home in San Francisco.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cass and two daughters, will arrive from Los Angeles to-day and will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cass and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ryckman until after the week-end.

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Mrs. Robert Hulme will entertain the members of the Mid-week Bridge Club a week from this afternoon.

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Mrs. August Muenter will arrive Friday from her home in San Francisco and will be the house guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Harris.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Young will entertain guests at dinner at their home on Divisadero Street Thanksgiving Day. The guests will include relatives of Mr. Young's from San Jose. They are Rev. and Mrs. S. W. Young, Miss Florence Young, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Patterson, Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Crouser and their son, Clarence Crouser. Others at the table will be Miss Helen Young, Edward and Robert Young.

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Mrs. D. H. Trowbridge and Miss Elizabeth Trowbridge arrived home Monday night from Berkeley, where Miss Trowbridge is a student at Mills College. Other Mills College students from Fresno, who returned home last night are the Misses Frances Riege, Ethel Dawson, Helen Hart, Helen Wall, Virginia Doyle, Mary Sanford, Marion Payne and Marion McKeighan. Miss Frances Riege has as her house guest, Miss Hettie B. Ege, dean of the college.

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The annual dancing party given by Roos Bros. for their employes was held last Saturday evening on the fourth floor of the store building. An orchestra furnished music for the dancers and during an intermission of the dances Miss Lea Juno Cohen of San Francisco sang several selections, and Miss True Love played some piano numbers. Fifty couples, including the employes and friends, were in attendance. The hall was decorated with seasonal flowers and favors.

RED CROSS ROLL CALL DRIVE WILL BE CONTINUED

Luncheon Gives Impetus To Campaign; $3,000 Still Needed In Fresno

The final luncheon of Red Cross workers, called to order by Franklin Lowney, chairman of the roll call, yesterday gave a new impetus to the final days of the drive for 15,000 memberships being made in Fresno. The campaign is to continue until the $3,000 needed to fill Fresno's quota is raised.

Miss Eve Hance, national field secretary for the Red Cross, said yesterday that the American Red Cross should rest upon its peace program which had assumed vast proportions. The people of the United States must come to know what the Red Cross is doing now, the time is past for war banners.

The original charter of the Red Cross was so comprehensively written that the present needs are all included. Service needs of any and of many sufferers that the government can not meet have always been met by the Red Cross.

The Red Cross nurse was the forerunner of the public health nurse and the public health work which is doing such a vast good in America to-day is being supplemented and aided in every way by the Red Cross service.

Half Of Money Used Here

Of the dollar membership fee, half goes to local Red Cross relief and the other 50 cents to the national work of relief of disaster, famine and pestilence.

Two nurses were sent to the Spanish-American War from the San Joaquin Valley and returned to the valley as Red Cross town and country nurses. This was an example which was repeated all over the country, that of a community which helped itself by helping the Red Cross.

There are 12,000 communities in the United States being served by the Red Cross health service and added to this is the continuation of the historic service in time of disaster; $1,000,000 has been spent in that special service during the past year.

The report made at roll call headquarters by the different large communities who are aiding the American Red Cross roll call is as follows:

The committee under the leadership of George F. Sharp and Eliot Bradley, $2,496, Colonel Frank Minard reports a total of $1,629 for his committee, and Colonel D. L. Newman reports a total of $1,009.21 to date.

Mrs. R. B. Cornell, who is in charge of the downtown booths, reports a total of $3,059.81.

Church Aid

A number of churches have reported to headquarters in the following manner:

Our Lady of Victory Church, $118, First Presbyterian Church, $19, First Congregational Church $42, First Christian Church, $10, First Unitarian Church, $17, St. James' Pro-Cathedral, $38.

The total reported at roll call headquarters for Fresno city to date is $11,022.77.

Towns who have made additional returns are: San Joaquin Branch, $53; Herndon $30.25.

Women who aided in the downtown booths yesterday were: Miss A. K. Brown at Hotel Fresno, Mrs. W. J. Ellert, Mrs. Glen DeVore and Mrs. O. D. Bergeron at the postoffice.

Chorus Of Spirits To Be Feature Of Concert

By ISABEL MORSE

The Fresno Male Chorus concert next Tuesday evening, December 5th, will present a series of excellent choral numbers, which have been well rehearsed by fifty singers under the leadership of Arthur Wahlberg.

This is the tenth year for this organization and the ensemble has improved with each season. These men sing for the joy of singing and the spirit of their work easily communicates itself to the listener.

The principal work on the program will be The Chorus of Spirits and Hours, by Dudley Buck. It is gay and full of color and well suited to Fresno's chorus. Raymond Harmon, tenor soloist of Los Angeles, will sing the solo part and also give an interesting group with Mrs. Romayne Hunkins as accompanist.

A. S. Perkins, who is president of the male chorus, reports the seat sale to be progressing rapidly at the various music stores of the city, and it is the expectation that the White Theater will be filled for the event.

Gadski's success in San Francisco last Friday night is welcome news to Fresno. The famous soprano has evidently lost none of her power, for she filled the great civic auditorium with her reputation, and after singing a taxing program, she received an ovation.

Ray C. Brown, the music critic of the San Francisco Chronicle, in reviewing the recital, says:

"Mme. Gadski's voice is to-day what it was twenty years ago—the purest type of dramatic soprano—clear, incisive and vibrant, with the authentic emotional quality that awakens an answering thrill. Her command of tonal shading can be equaled only by the most expert of lyric sopranos, and her pianissimo tones are carried steadily to a tenuous whisper. Her attack is delightfully sure, and her phrasing has a smooth and pliant grace, and the contours are invariably clear.

"Margot Hughes, who is Madam Gadski's accompanist, is a well known Californian. About two years ago she left for New York, where she gained a reputation."

Madam Gadski will appear in Fresno next Monday night at the high school auditorium. Ample arrangements have been made for car service.

MARY PICKFORD IS BACK FROM TRIP

Screen Star And Husband Now At Los Angeles Home

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 29.—Los Angeles felt more natural to-day with the return of Mary Pickford, who, with her husband, Doug., is just back from a visit to her sweetheart—America.

They arrived late yesterday, alighting at Pasadena and motoring to the studio, where they began laying the campaign for greater screen triumphs.

Doug announced he will soon begin work on a pirate epic that Edward Knobloch, famous playwright, will prepare in scenario, and in which Evelyn Brent, Doug's new leading lady, will be introduced. Miss Brent and Knobloch accompanied the famous film pair West. Ernest Lubitsch, noted German producer, has been secured to direct the picture.

Mary is going to make another grand picture, too, she said.

Missouri University Alumni Lay Plans To Entertain John C. Jones

A number of the 200 former students and alumni of the University of Missouri living in the San Joaquin Valley met last evening at the Hotel Fresno to discuss plans for the entertainment of John Carleton Jones, dean of the academic department of the university, who is expected to visit Fresno early next year.

Jones will probably be accompanied by Robert L. Hill, president of the Columbia, Missouri, Chamber of Commerce.

Officers elected to serve until the general meeting include the following:

Roy E. Miller, president; Miss Susie McD. W. Rabourn, secretary, and Miss Margaret Strother, corresponding secretary. The general committee includes the officers and Robert E. Dunkle, Rupert C. Gibson, Henry J. King, Dr. J. L. Maupin, Miss Sara B. F. Rabourn and Mrs. Eugene Painter of Fresno; Max Klingner of Kerman and T. O. Renfro of Kingsburg.

The entertainment committee includes; A. G. Wishon, Miss Strother, H. J. King, Dr. J. L. Maupin, Miss Susie Rabourn and Milton M. Dearing.

Alumni and former students already known to the committees, include the following: Dr. M. S. McMurtry, Clovis; Milton Matthews Dearing, Fresno; Margaret Strother, Fresno; Robert E. Dunkle, Fresno; Rupert C. Gibson, Fresno; Henry J. King, Fresno; Mrs. Henry J. King, Fresno; Lewis Ruffner Smith, Bakersfield; Mrs. A. O. Kircher, Fresno; George Max Klingner, Kerman; Dr. J. L. Maupin, Fresno; Roy E. Miller, Fresno; Miss Sara Rabourn, Fresno; Miss Susie McD. W. Rabourn, Fresno; Gilbert R. Watson, Fresno; Glen Hatcher Doughty, Porterville; Mrs. Charles E. Dailey, Reedley; John Samuel Wash; Joel Harvey Smith, Selma; Mrs. Eugene Painter, Fresno; Ira V. Smith, Turlock; Dr. L. D. Ames, Delano; Mrs. Ross Morton, Dinuba; E. T. Miller, Porterville; Miss Elizabeth Price, Fresno; T. O. Renfro, Kingsburg; E. I. Feemster, Visalia; Kitt Gould, Clovis; A. G. Wishon, Fresno; A. E. Wishon, Fresno; Miss Anne Evans, Dinuba; Updyke, Fresno; T. Scott, Fresno; Herman Kraemer, Fresno; Miss Erma Smith, Fresno; J. K. Tuttle, Fresno; Dr. Colburn, Fresno.

The majority of the former students of the Missouri University living in the San Joaquin Valley represent various professions. There are engineers, doctors, attorneys and teachers.

HE'D PUT COLLEGE GIRLS TO WORK SO THEY'D GET SENSE

A. B. See of Brooklyn Replies To Adelphia College With Denunciation

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Adelphia College in Brooklyn got a bit of a jolt when the postman delivered Alonzo B. See's reply to the campaign committee's request for a subscription. Instead of a subscription, See gave the campaign committee his ideas of what women really need in this day of cigarets, hip pockets, knee-length skirts and slang.

See lives at 372 Clifton Avenue, Brooklyn, and is president of the A. B. See Elevator Company, 52 Versey Street, Manhattan. Adelphia College needs a new building, and the campaign committee has been sending letters to well-to-do Brooklynites, asking subscriptions for the structure.

See's Reply

See got one of the letters. This is what he wrote in reply:

"If I had my way I would burn all the women's colleges in the country. The young women of our country do need to be educated; the education they need is to leave off smoking cigarets, stop using slang, stop their swaggering, give up their bold and brazen manners, their paint and their powder and their lipsticks and their high heeled shoes, and to cease to dress indecently.

"Of all the fool things in the world, I think the college for women is the worst. When they graduate from the colleges they cannot write a decent hand; they know nothing of the English language; they cannot spell; they are thoroughly ignorant of the things they should know; they have had their minds twisted by studying psychology, logic and philosophy, and a lot of other stuff which could have been concocted only in the diseased brains of college professors.

Put Them To Work

"Women used to be highly honored and respected by men, but that day is largely passing away. This is due more perhaps to the effect the colleges are having on the college women than to anything else.

"Nothing could be better for the girls now in the colleges than to be taken out and put to hard manual labor for at least a year, so that there might be put into their heads some little trace of sense."

After due deliberation the campaign committee concluded that See wished to convey the impression in his letter that he does not care to subscribe to the fund for the new building.

RUSH FOR LICENSES.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—The Thanksgiving annual rush for marriage licenses began to-day. More than 100 couples appeared in the marriage license bureau this morning and obtained permits to wed.

Of Interest To Women

What's What

By HELEN DECIE

Unless bridge experts possess an inexhaustible fund of patient courtesy, they should not accept invitations to large card parties where guests play for the pleasure of the game rather than for its complicated strategy.

An afternoon bridge party from 2:30 to 4:30 is followed by tea served at the card tables or in the dining room. So far from absorption in the game are the average afternoon card players that it is usual for the "dummies" at the tables to begin to drift into the dining room at 4 o'clock for tea and chat while their hands are played by their partners. In this way, relays of tea drinkers avoid crowding at a large party.

The afternoon card party is one of the least troublesome and most enjoyable methods of entertaining a large number of guests at one time. Invitations are informal, merely a telephone call or a visiting card mailed with the date and "Cards, 2 to 4 P. M." written beneath the name of the hostess.

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Clean White Furs With Cornmeal

To clean white furs, rub well into the fur some cornmeal which has been warmed in the oven. As the meal becomes soiled use fresh cornmeal. After the meal remains clean, leave it in the fur overnight. In the morning brush well so that none is left in the fur.

THE HOUSEWIFE.

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Missionary Workers Discussing Plans To Aid Women Of Orient

A meeting of ministers, missionary workers and other persons interested in the betterment of the lives of oriental women is being held at the First Baptist Church this afternoon.

Mrs. Carrie Robinson is giving an explanation of the relief now being carried forward for the women of Asia and a survey of the educational plans being made by the Woman's Board of Missions.

Mrs. Henry W. Peabody, who is characterized as "one of the most notable living missionary leaders of the world," will be in Fresno next week to raise funds for the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial. The sum of $3,000,000 is being raised for Women's Union Christian Colleges in Asia, $1,000,000 of which will be given by the Rockefeller Memorial if the country can raise the other $2,000,000. One hundred thousand dollars is California's quota and an apportionment of $5,000 has been made for Fresno and Madera Counties.

Mrs. Peabody will have until January 1st to raise this sum, about half of which has been pledged.

Dog Leads Posse To Master's Hiding Place

BURBANK (Calif.), Nov. 29.—W. M. Bible, charged with shooting and wounding C. L. Gilbert, fled from his cabin but left his dog behind.

Officers seeking the fugitive unchained the dog, who ran straight to his master's hiding place in a nearby canyon.

BODY SENT HOME

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 29.—The body of Yaden Pope, youth who committed suicide with carefully stage managed care to create the suggestion of murder, was sent to Hillsboro, Oregon, to-day for burial. Authorities here had abandoned hope of solving the youth's motive in planning his strange end as he did.

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'I'm Through With You' Wife No. 2 Wires To Professor John Tiernan

HANSELL (Iowa), Nov. 29.—Mrs. Blanche Hawn Tiernan to-day "gave the gate" to her third love, Professor John Tiernan of South Bend, Indiana.

"I am through with you for good," the professor's Iowa bride wired her ex-shiek, "and wish to have nothing further to do with you or your kind.

"I would not wipe my feet on you."

Student Editor Faces Charge Of Circulating Obscene Literature

BERKELEY (Calif.), Nov. 29.—Charges of circulating obscene literature were on file to-day against the editor of "The Laughing Horse," a startling publication issued at the University of California.

The publication is anonymous but Roy Chansler is alleged to be its editor.

"The Laughing Horse" appeared on the campus yesterday and created a sensation.

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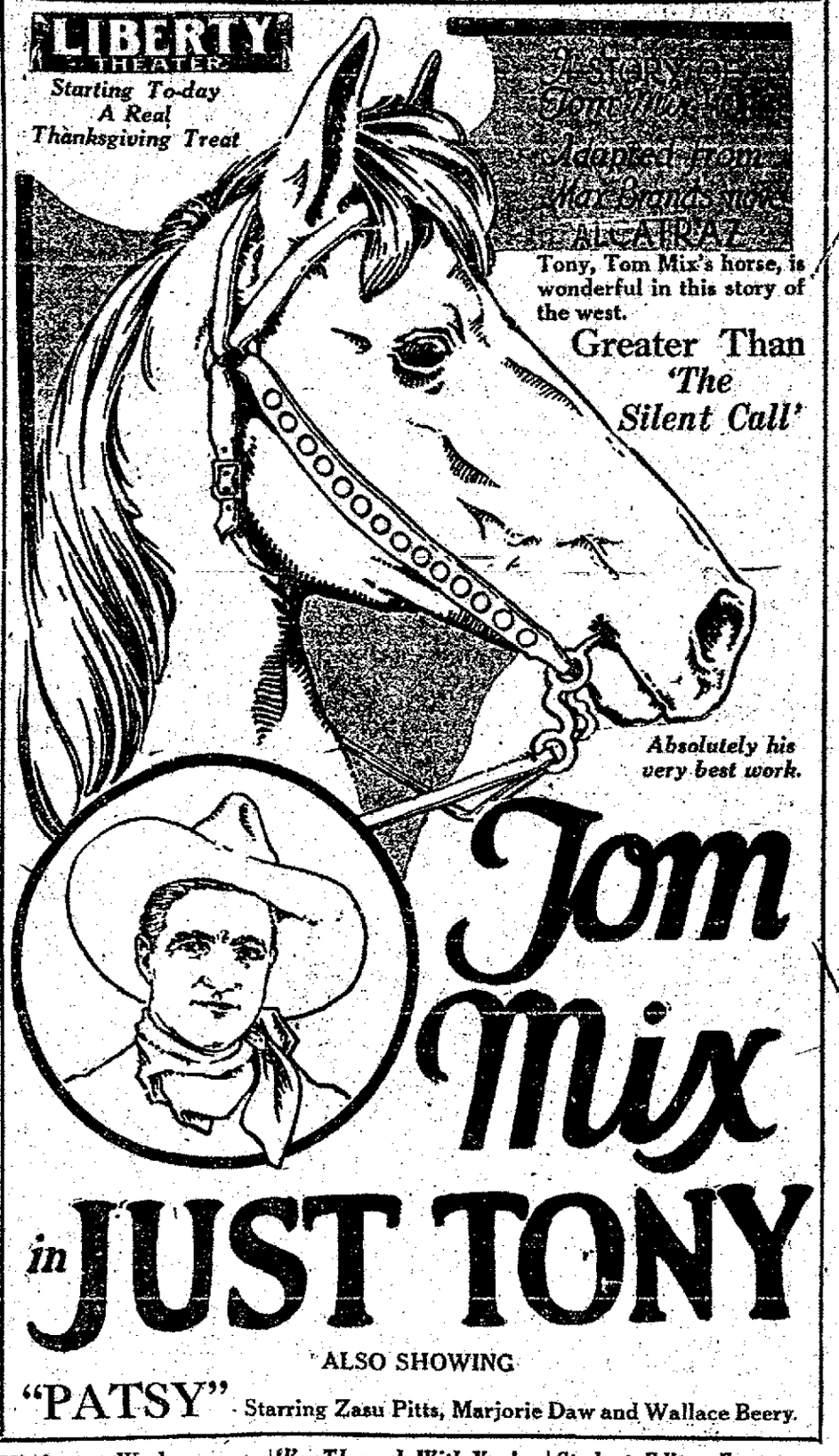

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To-morrow will be a big day for the boys who "hustle" The Fresno Bee on the streets. From early morning until late in the afternoon they will be busy enjoying themselves as only boys on a holiday can.

Plunge Scheduled

Bright and early in the morning they will show up at the Y. M. C. A., which has been placed at their disposal, through the courtesy of the management. On the gym floor they will romp and play with various athletic goods until about 10 o'clock. From here they will go to the plunge for their "annual," as one of the boys has expressed it.

At 11:45 A. M. they will form in line of parade and march down J Street to Tulare and thence to the Hughes Hotel. Manager Williams is going to give this party his personal attention, which means that everything will be good.

Orchestra To Play

The regular Hughes Hotel orchestra will be in attendance and will give an especially arranged program during the dinner.

Representatives of the city government will be there, and Rev. T. T. Giffin will say grace.

Among those who will help entertain the boys will be Vida Ramon, a well-known local professional singer.

After dinner the boys will go to the Hippodrome Theater, which has been thrown open to them through the courtesy of Manager Morris.

Present indications are that a full crowd will attend and that the boys will enjoy their day fully.

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Drygoods Dean Retires After 60 Years' Service

MONROVIA, Cal., Nov. 29.—E. E. Brownson, known over the country as the "dean of the dry goods business," retired here this week after over sixty years in his field of endeavor.

Brownson started in the dry goods business in Kalamazoo, Mich., and later traveled as representative of a dry goods firm for more than thirteen years.

For the past six years he has kept a store here. He will retire to his home in Pasadena, where he will pass his remaining years.

NEWS NOTES FROM MOVIELAND

Carol Dempster is once more to be seen in a D. W. Griffith film. She may be remembered for her work in Dream Street or previous to her work on the screen for her work with the Denishawn dancers with whom she toured after attending their school.

Her newest release is One Exciting Night, a melo (very melo melodrama. There is quite a story connected with this latest Griffith release. It is said that the great producer decided that he wanted to play with something, wanted to relax a bit and experiment. He had produced artistic plays, super plays and great spectacles and now he wanted a bit of a change and he decided that no matter what the public and the critics thought he would produce a thrilling mystery play. He kept his studios closed and not a word or hint was given out as to what was going on under his carefully guarded klieg lights.

Now the story is out, the picture has been seen and everybody says it is the best ever, more thrilling than Sherlock Holmes himself and with Craig Kennedy backed off the landscape. It is our idea, however, that a producer like Griffith could easily say he did not care about the public when making a mystery play for whoever heard of the public not liking a thriller!

Carol Dempster

ROSE TAPLEY RETURNS

After five years' absence from the screen Rose Tapley returns in George Melford's Paramount production of Java Head in the role of Rhoda Ammidon. She is the screen mother of four charming girls, and she likes her children and her part so well that she is hoping for another young mother part, which she says is her natural role.

The first screen production in which Miss Tapley appeared was made in 1905. From 1905 to 1917 she was a member of the Vitagraph company, and appeared in such well known productions as Vanity Fair, Rip Van Winkle, with E. H. Sothern in The Chattel, and was starred in Wild Pat. Another of her well known roles was Mrs. Jarr in the Jarr Family series.

BLACKWELL IN ENGLAND

Carlyle Blackwell, who is now doing his first film work in England, for many years has been a prominent screen and stage artist in the United States.

Blackwell is playing the role of Lord Robert Dudley to the Queen Elizabeth of Lady Diana Manners in The Virgin Queen, now being made in Hampshire by J. Stuart Blackton.

This is Blackwell's 370th picture.

Orpheum To Give Special Matinee Show To-Morrow

John Hyams and Leila McIntyre, Paul Morton and Naomi Glass headline the show starting at the White-Orpheum to-morrow matinee.

Hyams and McIntyre are one of the most popular teams in vaudeville to-day and bring this season a playlet entitled Honeysuckle, written by Frank Stammers. It serves to introduce for the first time their daughter, Leila Hyams and new supporting company.

Morton and Glass have an offering in two showers entitled April. This sketch gives them an opportunity to display their ability to dance and sing, besides some comedy.

Val and Ernie Stanton, The English Boys from America, bring a satire on English as it is not spoken which is extremely humorous.

Bill Robinson, The Dark Cloud of Joy, needs no introduction to Orpheum audiences. His irresistible good humor and his eccentric dancing have made him a great favorite among theatergoers and this season he has a lot of new steps.

Edward Foley and Lea Leture are a duo who sing, dance and talk. Fred Galletti and Mabel Kokin have a Novelty Comedy Surprise, and the Brunton Duo have an unusual turn entitled Sportive Specialties. Topics, Fables and Pathe News complete the bill.

The Orpheum will give a special holiday matinee on Thanksgiving Day at 3 P. M.

Girls And Comedians Headline To-Night's Bill At The Hippodrome

A trio of girls and two comedians are brought as headliners on the new bill at the Hippodrome tonight and for the remainder of the week. Orange Blossoms is the title of the act. It is said to be one of the snappiest acts presented by Ackerman and Harris this season. The special scenery is an important factor.

Mamie Ling and Tommy Long are The Unusual Couple. She is four feet six and he is six feet eight. Their entrance on the stage never fails to win a laugh.

The Flying Weavers, one a real athletic man, and the other a charming looking young woman with an exceptional figure, present an aerial offering which they call The Butterfly and the Archer.

Fletcher and Terre are a representative pair of singing comedians who offer entertainment in the form of a snappy skit, You Know Bill. Localized jokes form the greater part of this act.

The other act presents Brandon and Taylor as The Girl and the Yodler.

In the feature picture, Dorothy Dalton is the hard-riding, two-gunned heroine of The Crimson Challenge, a picture of the Western plains.

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Tom Mix And Tony Head The Liberty Program To-Day

Tom Mix, the popular star of the Fox constellation, has achieved a genuine screen novelty in his latest William Fox production, Just Tony, which comes to the Liberty Theater to-day.

For Just Tony features Mix's noted horse, Tony, and was written by Max Brand as a novel under the original title of Alcatraz. In this photoplay of romance and friendship and western valor, Tom again rides, shoots and fights for the love of a beautiful woman in such fashion as to thrill the most blase of picture-goers.

Tony, Mix's horse, does some very remarkable acting, to such an extent that the picture has been said even to excel The Silent Call in the way of something different in motion pictures.

Patsy, starring Zasu Pitts, Marjorie Daw and Wallace Beery, is also shown on this program. It is an irrepressible romance of youth and jollity.

The Prisoner Of Zenda To-Day

The ability of Rex Ingram, director of The Four Horsemen, has again been revealed in The Prisoner of Zenda, which is now playing at the Kinema as the main attraction for the balance of the week.

So little need be said about The Prisoner of Zenda. The story is established as one of the popular romantic tales of modern times—a story of the sort that can never be written again, for the war has stamped out the picturesque, gaily uniformed little kingdoms of Europe, where Sir Anthony Hope found his setting for the love story of Rudolf Rassendyl, the young Englishman who resembled so closely the king of Ruritania, and of the Princess Flavia.

Alice Terry, Lewis Stone, Barbara La Marr, Stuart Holmes, and numerous others enact their roles in a manner that brings the picture up to a high standard.

Eleanore Simonsen, who for more than two years was the soloist with Sousa's Band during its extended tour of this country, also appears on the same program, offering several vocal numbers, including Samson and Delilah. She appears at the Kinema twice daily at 3:50 and 8:15.

Nazimova's Camille With Valentino Is Strand's New Feature

Rudolph Valentino, with Nazimova in Camille, comes to the Strand Theater to-day for a four-day engagement. Pete Morrison, in a romance of western life, The Better Man Wins, will also show with Camille.

Camille has been modernized for the screen in an adaption by June Mathis, who wrote the continuity for the Rex Ingram production, The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse, and The Conquering Power. In playing the Dumas heroine, Nazimova follows the traditions that have led nearly all the great actresses to give it a place in their repertoire; the tradition of Bernhardt, Eleanora Duse, Clara Morris, Rejane, Modjeska, Laura Keene, Olga Nethersole and Ethel Barrymore.

In Rudolph Valentino, who plays the role of Armand Duval, Nazimova has a leading man of brilliant gifts who has won much praise for his performances in The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse, as Julio Desnoyes, and in The Conquering Power, as Charles Grandet.

In addition to Valentino, Nazimova's supporting cast includes Edward Connelly, Rex Cherryman, Arthur Hoyt, Zeffie Tilbury, Ruth Miller, Consuelo Flowerton, Mrs. Oliver and William Orlamond.

Ray C. Smallwood, associated with Nazimova in all her Metro productions, directed Camille. Rudolph J. Bergquist photographed it and Natacha Rambova had charge of the art direction.

A feature of Camille is the manner in which the stage settings have been designed; they follow the modern school in evoking the atmosphere and moods of the plot.

BURCH JURY MAY REACH DECISION

Prospect Of Thanksgiving Dinners May Speed Up Verdict In Third Trial

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 29.—Turkey and cranberries may be the determining factor in the fate of Arthur C. Burch.

Though the jury in his third trial for the murder of John Belton Kennedy was said to be evenly divided when they were locked up in a hotel here last night, it was believed that the prospect of missing their Thanksgiving dinners might be a powerful stimulant toward agreement as the hours pass to-day.

Acquittal Predicted

Observers of the three trials believed that more than ever before Burch has a chance for acquittal, particularly in view of Judge Schenk's instructions declaring only three verdicts possible—murder in the first degree with hanging or life imprisonment, or else not guilty. It was thought that the jurors who might vote for manslaughter or second degree murder would cast their ballots for acquittal rather than accept the first degree verdict.

Thanksgiving Spirit

The Thanksgiving spirit was in the faces of the eight women and four men when they retired last night at 10 o'clock, conversing merrily as they left the court room. The third trial, which has been the longest in session of any of the Kennedy trials, went to the jury at 3:40 yesterday afternoon.

New Obenchain Trial

Indication that Madalynne Obenchain, co-defendant, will be tried a third time regardless of the outcome of the Burch tril, came when Judge Schenk announced that the bar association had recommended that four persons be cited for contempt in connection with the second trial of Mrs. Obenchain.

These persons included Mrs. Alice McCartney, wife of the deputy prosecutor in the case; Mrs. Eva Harrison, J. M. Rhoades, foreman of the jury, and a Mrs. Scott.

Charges and counter charges in connection with this session were referred to a bar association committee which made its report a few minutes after the Burch jury had retired.

LINER IS FINED QUARTER MILLION

Opium Seizure To Cost China Mail Steamship Line $227,990

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Collector of Port W. B. Hamilton yesterday notified the China Mail Steamship Company that the $227,990 fine imposed by the government as penalty for the recent seizure of opium abroad the liner Nanking, must stand.

But the bond which the steamship concern is required to deposit as security before the Nanking can sail was reduced by one-half from the amount originally demanded.

H. N. Thomas, agent of the China Mail, was notified that the bond will be $227,990, the same amount as the fine, instead of $455,800, as required under the Jones-Miller anti-narcotic law. Indications were that the bond would be deposited in time to permit the Nanking to clear for the Orient to-morrow, as per schedule.

1,335 Tins Found

The affair resulted from the discovery by customs inspectors on the arrival of the Nanking from the Far East a week ago of 1,335 tins of contraband opium, concealed in an unused and half-flooded boiler in the liner's engine room.

The legal fine is $25 an ounce.

Reduction of the Nanking's bond followed advices from Washington that strong pressure in behalf of the steamship company was being brought to bear upon the heads of the treasury department.

Representations were made that unless the bond were reduced the Nanking could not sail.

Volunteer Dry Worker Taken On Wet Charge

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29—Robert Wright, described as a "volunteer prohibition worker who introduces enforcement agents to bootleggers," assisted in a liquor raid and then was arrested for driving an automobile while intoxicated.

According to Prohibition Director Sam. F. Rutter, the raid was conducted by J. H. Cory, a prohibition enforcement officer, who arrested several men and women at 223 Larkin Street. Wright accompanied Cory.

After the prisoners were booked at the Hall of Justice, Wright wandered out onto Kearney Street and started to drive away. Policeman Harry Burtler arrested him.

Woman Faces Trial On Charge Of Having Slain Roomer In House

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Mrs. Lucille Douglass is facing trial for her life in Superior Judge Louis H. Ward's court on a charge of slaying William Shadden, a roomer in her lodging house, on June 28.

The first day was spent in securing a jury, which, as finally selected, comprised ten men and two women. First testimony will be given to-day.

According to the prosecution, Mrs. Douglass shot and killed Shadden during a quarrel in the rooming house in Minna Street near Sixth. The principal witness is Frank Duggan, another roomer, who heard the shot and discovered Shadden's body.

No gun was found after the shooting. The woman has steadfactly denied firing the fatal shot, claiming that Shadden was slain by some intruder in the house.

Man Weds Within Five Minutes Of Divorce

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Five minutes after he had received a final decree of divorce Harold Alfred Williams, interior decorator, was a bridegroom again.

Williams, who begins his second venture with a most auspicious address, 2 Sunny Court, walked into Judge Cabaniss' court at noon, received his decree and stepped over into the office of Justice of the Peace James G. Conlan, where the bridal party was waiting.

Judge Conlan performed the ceremony uniting Williams and Miss Josephine Caroline Daniels, daughter of Mrs. Louise Daniels and niece of F. H. Thoegersen, a pioneer merchant in the Mission. The bride is 23 and Williams is 26.

Williams obtained his divorce from his first wife, Margaret, on charge of cruelty.

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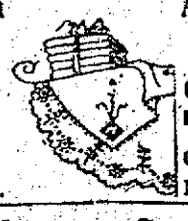

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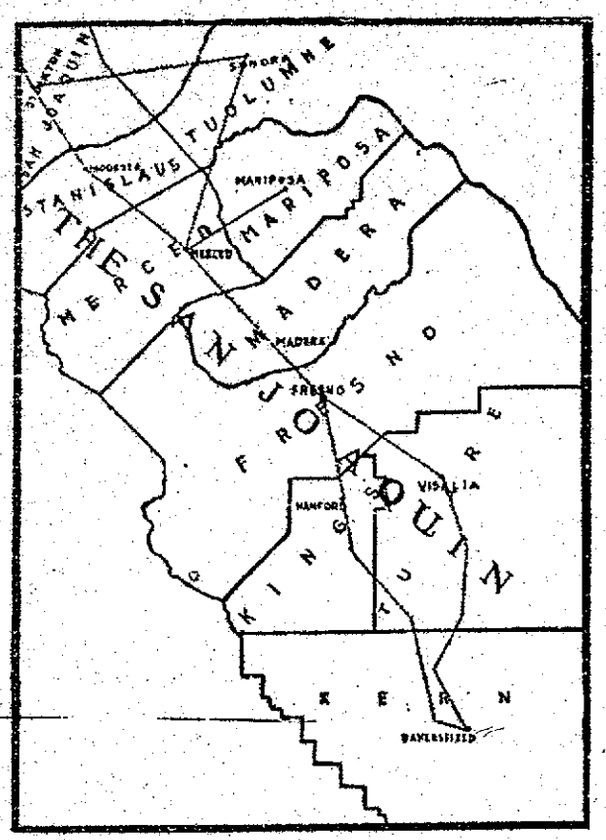


HORNITOS MAN IS SENT TO JAIL FOR BOOZE SALE

Aged Man Pleads Guilty To Bootlegging In Merced Court

MERCED (Merced Co.), Nov. 29.—L. H. Cross of Hornitos, Mariposa County, arrested Monday evening at a local hotel and charged with having liquor in his possession, pleaded guilty yesterday afternoon before Justice of the Peace Harold Bone and was sentenced to spend sixty days in the county jail and pay a fine of $100.

At the time of his arrest Cross had $92 on his person, the remainder of the fine being raised by an attachment being levied on his automobile.

The arresting officers allege that Cross made a business of bootlegging in Merced, making trips to Mariposa at intervals to replenish his supply.

Cross admitted that he indulged in the traffic for the reason that he was too old and feeble to do manual labor and that he was compelled to sell liquor to provide expenses.

ROBE STARTS IN KINGS COUNTY OF LIBEL CHARGES

HANFORD (Kings Co.), Nov. 29.—The authorship of certain alleged libelous pamphlets setting forth that various Kings county officials are guilty of misconduct and crime is to be determined through a grand jury investigation, according to W. R. McKay, acting district attorney, who late yesterday held a long conference with Oscar L. Odale, foreman of the 1922 grand jury which was recently impaneled.

December 5th has been fixed as the date for the matter to be opened before the inquisitorial body and McKay states that he expects to call many witnesses and consume several days in the taking of testimony.

May Ask Federal Order.

In addition to the circulation of the pamphlets which consist of what is purported to be a list of "illegal expenditures" for various purposes, including salary of "janitors" employed as deputies in certain offices, it has come to his knowledge, McKay states, that these statements and articles were recently mailed to members of the board of supervisors, and he intends to take the matter up with federal authorities in Fresno to ascertain whether the alleged libelous matter is not to be classed under the head of "unmailable matter" under the postal laws.

Nature Not Divulged.

While the exact nature of the pamphlets was not divulged by McKay, it is believed by certain officials of the county that the reference to the activities of certain officials relative to get salary claims of certain "janitors" through the auditor's office, is the special instance of alleged libel which McKay will contend has been committed.

McKay's Salary Held Up.

One case at point is the claim of W. R. McKay for salary as an attache of the district attorney's office where he has conducted virtually all of the business arising for nearly a year during the illness of District Attorney Fergusu.

Hanford Makes Simple Thanksgiving Plans

HANFORD (Kings Co.), Nov. 29.—Hanford's program for Thanksgiving Day is a simple one, as will accord first of all in being a full-fledged holiday with all stores and public offices closed.

Thanksgiving Day services participated in by the evangelical churches will be conducted at 10 o'clock at the First Methodist Church, with the Rev. Joseph R. Travis, of the First Baptist Church delivering the sermon.

Services will also be conducted at the Christian Science Church and prayers and a sermon by Father John Galvin, will be the order of a morning service at St. Bridget's Catholic Church. The Episcopal Church held services incident to Thanksgiving last Sunday.

At 11:30 o'clock the Hanford and Lemoore High School football eleven will play their annual Thanksgiving Day game at the field of the Hanford Union High School.

After the football game will come the usual family reunions around the festive board and an afternoon and evening of fireside visiting.

RESTAURANT OWNER ROBBED

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Fred Sudin, restaurant owner, was robbed unconscious by two bandits at his restaurant on Market Street early to-day. The robbers fled with the contents of the cash register, amounting to about $100.

STOCKTON VOTES IN CITY MANAGER GOVERNING FORM

STOCKTON (San Joaquin Co.), Nov. 29.—By a vote of nearly 3 to 1 a new charter for Stockton, providing the city manager plan of government was adopted at yesterday's election.

Three bond issues for flood control and park extensions were badly beaten.

Purchase of the mineral baths was recommended by a 2 to 1 vote.

POSTOFFICE AT SELMA SEEKING NEW BUILDING

SELMA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—It is expected that a lease contract will soon be signed for a new building to house the Selma postoffice, which has been without permanent quarters since the fire a few weeks ago.

C. E. Brogdon, postoffice inspector, located in Fresno, has asked for bids up to and including December 1, 1922, for the furnishing of a building with not less than 2,500 square feet floor space, and is to include all necessary equipment in the way of postoffice boxes, fixtures and furniture, together with a safe or vault, heat, light and other facilities.

Central Location Desired

Another provision of the bid is that the building shall be approximately near the business center of the city and within eighty rods of the railroad passenger station.

It is understood four local property owners will submit bids and it is confidently expected that the postoffice department will be able to select a bid that meets all the requirements, and as soon as the building is completed the local office will be removed from the temporary quarters in the Hough Building to the new location.

RIGHT OF WAY FOR POWER LINE BEING CLEARED

PIEDRA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—The San Joaquin Light and Power Corporation is clearing the right-of-way for the transmission line that will run from base camp on upper Kings River to Fresno and other valley points. A crew of thirty men is clearing away the brush and trees.

Steel towers, ninety feet high, are to be erected, which will carry six wires. Three carloads of aluminum cable arrived in Piedra yesterday, containing approximately seventy-five miles of cable. More cars are expected in the near future.

Death Car Driver Says He Failed To See Girl Struck On Merced Street

MERCED (Merced Co.), Nov. 29.—That Lois Love, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Love, of this city, died as the result of a fractured skull received when she was run over Monday afternoon by a car driven by E. H. Mundowski, of San Diego, was the verdict given last night by a jury summoned by Coroner W. M. Griffin.

A number of witnesses testified that Mundowski was traveling at a moderate rate of speed when he struck the child on Sixteenth Street near M Street.

Mundowski testified that his attention at the time of the accident was directed to the highway and he did not see the child until she was almost underneath the wheels.

Dinuba Street Paved By County To Be Torn Up And Resurfaced

DINUBA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—Residents on Alta Avenue will be forced to stand the expense of the proper paving of that street. This is according to plans of the city council announced here. The present pavement, laid by the county about six years ago before this section was a part of the city of Dinuba, will be torn up and replaced immediately.

Only a sixteen-foot strip down the center of the street is paved at present, and the city intends that the street be paved in accordance with the paving program of the city, in order that storm sewers can be laid.

The city will stand the expense of tearing up the present pavement, while the roperty owners must bear the expense of resurfacing the street.

DON PEDRO DAM POWER EQUIPMENT BEING INSTALLED

First Turbine Will Soon Be Set On Generating Room Floor

DON PEDRO DAM (Tuolumne Co.), Nov. 29.—During the short periods that the river water has been under control in the past two weeks, hard rock men have been busily engaged in breaking through the block of rock that separates the power house portal at the dam which is being constructed here by the Turlock and Modesto Irrigation Districts, from the river.

Three eight-hour shifts have been engaged in the work, and the hard rock portal has finally been opened up, and this section is practically completed.

Machinery Transferred

Machinery has been moving from the storage sheds into the power house proper, for several days, and much of the equipment has now been set on the floor of the power house, where the power will be generated.

The fourth and last sections of the turbine scroll cases and vanes were taken down Saturday, and the several sections of the first turbine are put together and will soon be placed on the concrete foundation.

Power House Walls Finished

Concrete has been poured in the forms for walls of the power house to a height nearly reaching the roof. Conduit to enclose the wiring from all parts of the building to the main switchboard has been set and concrete poured over the switchboard floor. Precast concrete steps for a short spiral stairway in the building are being poured in the pipe-making yard.

Excavation of rock from the spillway channel has progressed steadily, but somewhat more slowly than in past weeks. For the past two weeks the steam shovel has been working back and forth over the section of channel below the dam, digging in the densest blue rock.

Completion of the timber trestle above the spillway lip has been effected to a point beyond which there is no present need and some steel for reinforcing the reservoir side of the structure taken out and placed in the cutoff trench. On Sunday, the 26th, the first concrete was poured in a short section of this trench near the dam.

Dam Nearing Completion

Though rapidly nearing a state of completion, the construction of the dam remains the item of greatest concern to those engaged on the project. The top of the dam has been completed to a point 745 feet from the north end and the lowest section of the concrete brought up to a point 224 feet above river bed, leaving a triangle to be poured 215 feet long by 48 feet high.

Above the power ditch on the south bank a recess was left in the dam to facilitate the use of the highline cableway in delivering material to the train running on the ditch bank, the material in turn being transferred to the power house by derrick.

With the completion of the tramway down the down-stream face of the dam the service of the highline cableway in this particular is no longer needed, so this recess is now being built up to the uniform face of the dam.

Parapet Walls Erected

Forms for the parapet walls are being erected on both faces at the top of the dam and reinforcing steel placed. Included in the concrete of the down-stream wall will be a system of wiring for light and power. Orders have been placed for precast concrete lamp pedestals, about eight feet high, to be placed fifty feet apart on the down-stream parapet wall.

The area upon which it is possible to pour concrete narrows each day resulting in smaller daily records of concrete poured, and the concrete crew has been cut nearly in half as a result. Concrete poured in the dam in the past two weeks amounted to 6,000 cubic yards, bringing the total poured in the structure to date to 265,000 cubic yards, equivalent to 94 per cent.

Firemens' Ball To-Night Hanford Social Event

HANFORD (Kings Co.), Nov. 29.—The finishing touches of decorations consisting of pepper boughs and a profusion of American flags, were put upon the chamber of commerce auditorium to-day, where the Hanford Volunteer Fire Department will stage its annual Thanksgiving ball to-night.

This event is always a social function in which Hanford people take a great deal of interest. The fire department members, with the exception of three men are volunteers and the proceeds of the annual ball goes to augment the relief fund which pays doctors' bills and hospital fees for sick and injured firemen.

This gives excuse for a liberal patronage of the annual ball and as usual the attendance of several hundred couples is expected.

Bungalow Court Is Planned In Hanford

HANFORD (Kings Co.), Nov. 29.—The purchase yesterday of the Porter tract at Center and Redington Streets was followed by an announcement by the purchaser, Mrs. F. A. Warnock, that she would immediately begin the construction of an eight-dwelling "bungalow court" entailing an expenditure of approximately $30,000.

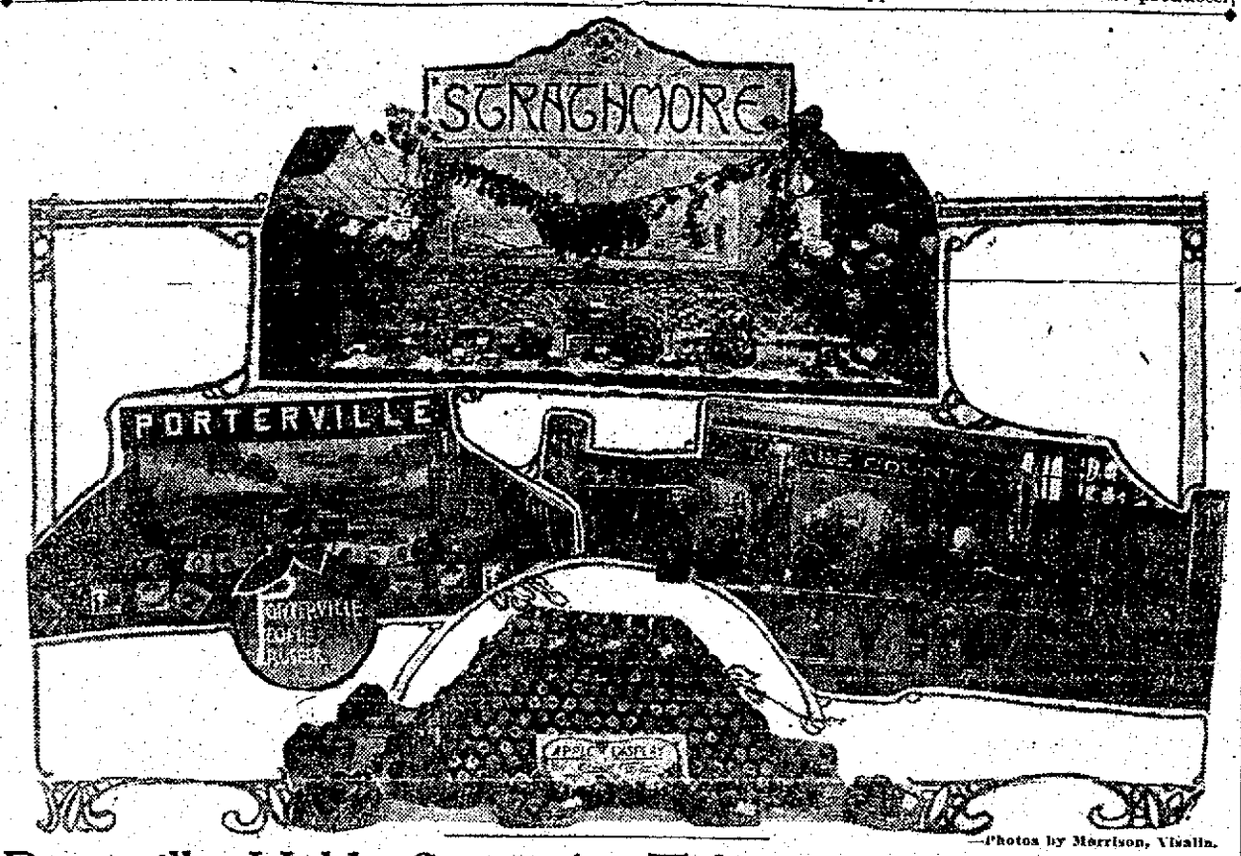
This type of construction is entirely new in Hanford, though recently not a few bungalows having double apartments have been constructed.

The site is 225x150 feet and has for several years been occupied by the annual encampments of Chautauqua. It lies surrounded by a thickly settled residential section.

Atwater Cannery Closes After Successful Season

ATWATER (Merced Co.), Nov. 29.—The California Packing Corporation cannery at Atwater closed its doors November 25th after a successful season of canning peaches and sweet potatoes.

VIEWS of exhibits at the Community Exposition and Citrus Show in progress at Lindsay this week. The upper exhibit is that made by Strathmore. At the left is the Porterville exhibit and at the right of Tulare County at large. The lower picture is the apple exhibit made by Edmond Taylor of Three Rivers, showing the fine apples the mountain district produces.



—Photos by Morrison, Visalia.

Porterville Holds Sway At Tulare County Citrus Fair

Neighboring City In Foothill Orange Belt Sends Party To Lindsay

LINDSAY (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—Today was Porterville Day at the Community Exposition and Citrus Show, a large deputation from that city being scheduled to reach here shortly before the afternoon opening of the doors to the big exhibit tent.

Frank Gehring

Scheduled for 2:30 o'clock was the testing of citrus fruits to be followed half an hour later by an address by Frank A. Gehring, secretary of the Porterville Chamber of Commerce on The Importance of the Citrus Industry to the Community. Al C. Trinken, president of the Porterville Chamber, headed the visiting delegation.

The exhibit tent presents a view pleasing to the eye.

In the farm bureau booths are shown specimens of grapes, olives, oranges, apples and other products of the soil. The booth, as are all those in the big tent, is tastefully decorated with huge chrysanthemums, roses and other flowers.

A feature display of oranges is shown at one end of the tent, consisting of banked boxes of fine Sunkist fruit.

Tulare installed a dairy exhibit in the show, giving it a connection with the citrus idea through the showing on a platter in an enclosed glass case two large imitation lemons and an imitation orange, with realistic color, made from butter. The display is centered by a high pile of milk cans, the cans decreasing in size as the pile goes upward, from a huge fifty-gallon can at the bottom to a small quart can at the top.

The Tulare County exhibit, installed by the chamber of commerce, consists of a wide variety of processed and dried fruits. Melons, corn, grapes and raisins, figs, nuts, apples, pears, grapefruits, squashes and plums are displayed in this booth, attractively arranged. Grapes, oranges, lemons, grapefruits, apples, pears and nuts are shown in the flower-bedecked booth of Strathmore. Porterville shows oranges and lemons in boxes and grapefruits, the background of the booth being a large painted farm scene.

Al C. Trinken

The Visalia booth is centered by a large mounted peacock on a pedestal, oranges, lemons and grapefruits being attractively arranged around in banks decorated with big ferns and flowers.

Exeter Has Exhibit

The Exeter Chamber of Commerce shows lemons, oranges, raisins, figs, grapes, tangerines, pears and grapefruits, in open boxes, tastefully arranged and decorated.

The Lindsay Chamber of Commerce has an information booth in the tent, in which are installed boxes of oranges and lemons. An official of the chamber presided at the booth for the giving of general information to all visitors.

The Art and Needle Club of Lindsay has a display, as have the Girls' Club and the Auxiliary to the American Legion.

Probably the most attractive exhibit at the show in fruits not of the citrus variety is that installed by Edmond Taylor of Three Rivers. Taylor has a booth filled with open boxes of beautiful apples of different varieties. The Three Rivers district is a prolific apple producing locality.

The Lindsay Center of the Tulare County Farm Bureau installed a farm bureau exhibit that sets forth vividly the benefits that accrue through membership in the local bureau and affiliation with the state and national farm federations.

Modesto Priest Dons Overalls; Razes Church

MODESTO (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 29.—Clad in overalls, with his frock as a second line of defense against the elements, the Rev. Father J. W. Galvin is acting as "straw boss" in the salvaging of one of the oldest of Stanislaus County's churches—the old St. Stanislaus Church on Seventh Street.

The old church is being razed to make way for a modern community hall to be used, Father Galvin said to-day, by the entire community as well as his congregation.

Twenty of Father Galvin's parishioners were busy to-day serving as his assistants in the work of destruction. The social hall will be built of lumber taken from the old church, which stands just back of the new St. Stanislaus Church.

The social hall will measure 40 feet by 125 feet and will be formally opened New Years' Eve, it is hoped.

The old church was built when Modesto was not dreamed of. Nothing but prairie and sand were here.

Caught In Shop, Youth Says He Sought Clothes

VISALIA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—Declaring he was cold and thought he might find some old clothing in the building which would help him keep warm, Henry Kellar, a youthful wanderer, entered the county machinery store house at Terra Bella Monday night and was caught therein by Constable Crail of that community.

Crail brought Kellar to the county jail on a burglary charge.

Taking Of Evidence In Statutory Case Starts

MERCED (Merced Co. Nov. 29.—The introduction of evidence against James L. Partridge, of Livingston, on a statutory charge, began yesterday afternoon in Superior Judge E. N. Rector's court before a jury with Juanita Murphy, 15, as the opening witness for the prosecution.

Patridge was arrested last July following filing of a complaint by a relative of the girl.

Delano Merchant Hurt In Auto Wreck

TULARE (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—T. B. Martin, merchant of Delano and Eddie Farrel of Sawtelle, were injured in an auto accident on the highway near the Tagus Ranch late yesterday. The car driven by Martin turned over and threw both occupants out.

Martin sustained a fractured collar-bone and probable internal injuries. He was brought to a hospital here. Farrel also was treated at the hospital, but he was well enough to leave to-day, having sustained only bruises.

Trees To Line Highway From Fresno To Coalinga

COALINGA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—A. J. Shaw, secretary of the Coalinga Chamber of Commerce, is authority for the statement that trees are to be planted along the state highway from Fresno to Coalinga, under the supervision of the state highway commission.

Business men and others interested in the districts affected, will be asked to make selection of the trees from the highway commission nursery in Yolo County, and they will be furnished without cost except for transportation.

People living in the sections will plant the trees, and the state highway commission will take charge of their maintenance after the planting has been done.

COALINGA SEEKS CONSTRUCTION OF PROPOSED ROAD

COALINGA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—Fresno County engineers have completed the survey of the proposed road from Coalinga to the San Benito County line, through White Creek and Los Gatos canyons.

The estimated cost of the proposed road would be $40,000 and it would cut forty miles off the distance from Coalinga to San Francisco, in addition to opening up a market for Coalinga in the mining district in the mountain country.

While many of these mining companies that now operate in the mountains west of here, are now buying supplies at points on the coast, a passable road would divert the trade to Coalinga.

The present road over the mountains takes the traveler into Paso Robles and King City, and is only passable in good weather, while the proposed road would eliminate much dangerous travel, many crossings, and would be passable during the entire year.

The survey of the proposed road, was ordered by Supervisor N. P. Gonser, at the request of the Coalinga Chamber of Commerce and the Business Men's Association here.

Estimates Announced On Coalinga Highway Unit

COALINGA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—According to information received here, the state engineer has submitted estimates on the unit of the state highway from Parkfield Junction to Coalinga, a distance of eight and nine-tenths miles.

Bids will be opened for the work on this unit December 7th, and work on the road is expected to start shortly after that time.

Kingsburg Congregation Planning For New Church

KINGSBURG (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—The congregation of the Swedish Methodist Church is planning to begin the erection of a new building next Fall.

A subscription list now is circulating and the present goal of $30,000 is expected to be reached by Thursday.

At the present time only $2,000 is lacking.

FRESNAN SPEAKS AT CLOVIS

CLOVIS (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—C. B. Jackson of Fresno addressed the Booster Club at its weekly luncheon on Monday. His subject was The Wants and the Needs of a Community; the Co-ordination of Ideas in Chamber of Commerce Work and the Crystallization of Public Opinion.

G. W. James of San Francisco, who represented the Indian Board of Co-operation spoke upon the subject of the land claims which the Indians are trying to establish in the federal claims court.

CONTRACT FOR NEW VISALIA BANK IS LET

VISALIA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—James Furlong and Company, of San Francisco, are to build the new $250,000 home of the Bank of Italy in Visalia. The contract was let in San Francisco a few days ago and W. H. Ewing, general superintendent, is on the ground with a crew of men preparing for building operations, which will be started actively before the week-end.

Ewing expects to have at least thirty men on the ground within a week and declared to-day that actual building will proceed without any delay, as the firm expects to establish a record for prompt construction on this job, one of the first it has secured in the San Joaquin Valley.

All of the contract has not yet been let but the minor awards will be made before that particular work is required.

The bank's new home will be five stories high and contain, beside the banking establishment on the first floor and a store room adjoining, 200 rooms for offices, seventy-five per cent of which already have been rented.

Parents Would Annul Marriage Of Merced Pair

MERCED (Merced Co.), Nov. 29.—The run away marriage on October 21, 1922, of Louis Fara, 19, and Violet Jordan soon is to be brought to a legal end, if the plans of the parents of both parties concerned are carried out.

Fara's father, through his attorney, C. W. Croop, has filed complaint here alleging that his son married without his consent, and asking that the marriage be annulled. According to Croop, the parents of the young girl do not plan to contest the case.

Inquest To-Night For Victim Of Accident

MERCED (Merced Co.), Nov. 29.—The inquest over the body of Miss Jean Cox, Vancouver, who sustained a fractured skull during a collision on the highway near here last Sunday evening, will be held here this evening at 8 o'clock.

Miss Cox died Monday evening in a Merced hospital without regaining consciousness.

BOY SWALLOWS OLIVE PIT

ALPAUGH (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—The 5-year-old son of J. Sonke is recovering from the effects of swallowing an olive pit, which lodged in his windpipe. For a time it was thought that the accident might prove fatal, and the boy was rushed to a Hanford hospital, where an operation was performed to remove the pit.

CALE TRIAL SET FOR JANUARY 2 IN KERN COUNTY

Change Of Venue Denied In Case Involving Klan Activities

BAKERSFIELD (Kern Co.), Nov. 29.—Trial of Homer M. Cale, charged with being implicated in an assault on Dr. Dwight R. Mason of Taft was set to-day for January 2nd, following a denial by Judge J. W. Mahon of Cale's plea for a change of venue.

Cale's plea for a change of venue was accompanied by what is believed to be the largest number of individual affidavits ever presented in a California court in support of such a plea.

An immense carton containing 850 affidavits from residents of Kern County, as well as three separate petitions containing more than 300 names, was brought into the courtroom at the opening of the case and submitted by Cale's attorney, Earl A. Bagby. Deputy District Attorney Allan R. Campbell represented the district attorney's department.

The alleged assault on Dr. Mason occurred on October 27, 1921, when Mason was attacked and beaten by masked men said to have been members of the Ku Klux Klan. Prosecution of Cale developed immediately following the arrest and conviction of John H. Vitelle, now serving a term in San Quentin Penitentiary in connection with the assault.

In their affidavits the signers assert that, in their opinion, Cale could not obtain a fair trial in Kern County on account of the publicity already given the case, and to the prejudices aroused against the organization known as Ku Klux Klan. The petitioners state that they could not fairly try the case, owing to opinions already formed.

Four affidavits from well known residents of Kern County, submitted by the district attorney's department, stated that they believed the defendant would be given a fair and impartial trial in Kern County, and that his legal interests would not be prejudiced by bringing the case to trial in this jurisdiction.

Attorney Bagby argued that in fairness to the defendant a change of venue to Tulare County should be granted. Judge Mahon took the case under advisement and said he would announce his decision later.

PORTERVILLE SUPERVISOR OPPOSES SITE

Prospect For Purchase Of New Court House Grounds Is Slight

VISALIA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—Supervisor F. M. Pfrimmer of Porterville has decided definitely to oppose the purchase by the county of some fourteen acres of land on West Mineral King Avenue in this city as the site for a future court house. This, according to his announcement from Porterville last night, following the visit here of Pfrimmer and a committee of Porterville and Lindsay business men to view the site and go into the details of the option now held. Inasmuch as Supervisor L. W. Badsley of Tulare also is said to oppose the purchase, and it requires four of the five votes to take up the option, the probability of the proposition falling through as it now stands has developed, and, unless steps can be taken to counteract the opposition before December 19th, when the hearing comes up, it likely will fall through.

The Porterville business men who visited the site were N. M. Ball, V. D. Knupp and George Williamson, while Lindsay sent over two of its bankers, Vic Reed and Chester Dowell.

This committee told Pfrimmer the county's proposition to utilize the half block east of the present court house for a new hall of records seemed to them the solution of the present congestion.

PLANE LANDS NEAR GOSHEN IN HEAVY FOG

GOSHEN (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—An airplane from March Field, Riverside, en route to Mather Field, near Sacramento, was forced to land in a ranch field near here yesterday afternoon when engine trouble developed. Lieutenant Tonkin of March Field, the pilot, escaped unhurt. The landing was effected with some risk inasmuch as the plane was brought to earth in a dense fog.

Tonkin, according to word received here to-day from the adjutant at Mather Field, telephoned word there of the trouble. A government truck and a mechanic were sent from Mather Field to-day to make the repairs.

According to word from Mather Field Lieutenant Tonkin was flying from March Field, while mapping routes for airplane travel.

NEWMAN MAN BREAKS COLLAR BONE FOR THE SECOND TIME

NEWMAN (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 29.—John Hawkins is in a local hospital with a broken shoulder blade and several minor sprains and bruises as a result of an automobile accident here. Some ten years ago Hawkins sustained almost exactly the same injuries when he was thrown from a horse.

SAN JOAQUIN SOCIAL NEWS

THANKSGIVING TO BE OBSERVED IN ALL SAN JOAQUIN

Valley Cities To Hold Union Services In Celebration Of Annual Day

Preparations are being made throughout the San Joaquin Valley for the observance to-morrow of Thanksgiving Day, when business men and ranchers alike will put aside for a day their labors, and give thanks for the bountiful harvests which again this year have marked the valley as the home of prosperity and happiness.

In the morning the citizens of the various valley cities will gather at the churches, and with appropriate services express their thanks for the prosperity of the past twelve months. Union services have been planned in practically all of the valley cities.

At noon the Thanksgiving turkey will reign supreme as the festive board gives realistic evidence of plentiful harvests throughout the San Joaquin. Afternoon and evening programs take on a jovial spirit as football games and entertainments of various kinds have been planned to close appropriately the annual celebration.

PORTERVILLE SERVICES

PORTERVILLE (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—Porterville churches will hold a joint observance of Thanksgiving with union services to be held at the First Christian Church under the auspices of the Ministerial Alliance. The services will begin at 10 o'clock, with the following program:

Doxology; Invocation, Rev. George M. Lehigh; Hymn, by choir and congregation; President's Proclamation, Rev. W. D. Lemmon; Anthem, Christian Church Choir; Offertory and Announcements; Scripture Lesson, Rev. Davidson; Prayer, Rev. Claude Metcalf; Duet, Mr. Russell, Mrs. Miller; Sermon, Rev. Lee A. Wood; Benediction, Rev. G. G. Schmidt.

A thank offering will be taken, the fund received to be devoted to local charities.

Afternoon Program

Pupils of the Porterville elementary schools will hold a special Thanksgiving entertainment in the afternoon at the Christian Church, under the direction of Miss Hazel Thomas, director of music in the schools. The program will be the first presented this by the elementary music department.

There will be songs by the various grades, some of them in costume; a recitation by Helen Fink, a costume song by Bess and Flora Mitchell, a recitation by Myra Hall, and a flag drill by the boys of the fifth and sixth grades.

BAZAAR AT ESCALON

ESCALON (San Joaquin Co.), Nov. 29.—The Swedish Lutheran Church is making elaborate plans for Thanksgiving Day. Services at 10:30 A. M. will begin the day, and following this, a Thanksgiving dinner will be served by the women of the church.

There will be a bazaar and auction during the afternoon and evening.

A booth for the sale of candy and other booths also are included.

COALINGA EVENING SERVICES

COALINGA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—Union services will be held at the Methodist Church Thursday evening. Special music will be a feature and Rev. Wm. Wallace will deliver the sermon.

MEETING AT CHOWCHILLA

CHOWCHILLA (Madera Co.), Nov. 29.—The members of the Church of the Brotheren will have a Thanksgiving dinner at the Dairyland School to-morrow and will have a meeting during the afternoon of prayer and thanksgiving.

STRIKERS TO CELEBRATE

BAKERSFIELD (Kern Co.), Nov. 29.—That there may be a Thanksgiving feast in the homes of the striking railroad shop craftsmen to-morrow, union workers in Kern County to-day are busy replenishing the strikers' commissary. The strike has been in progress five months.

The Woman's Auxiliary is in charge of the distribution of gifts. Donations of potatoes, onions, lard, beans, macaroni, coffee, sugar and similar provisions were taken to the labor temple to-day.

KINGSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Westlund, who live a short distance west of town, celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. A number of friends and relatives were present, including a few of their friends who were present at their wedding in Chicago.

A wedding supper were served. The dining room was decorated in silver and many beautiful bouquets of chrysanthemums, and many other beautiful potted flowers. The time was spent in music and speeches.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dahlgren, Mr. and Mrs. John Dahlgren, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Swenson; Mr. and Mrs. Fridolf Dahlgren, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Almgren, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ostrom, Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Sandstrom and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Westlund, Helen, Mildred and Irving Westlund.

PATTERSON

A dinner party was given Monday evening by J. D. Patterson, who expects to leave soon for Canada. The guests included Patterson's intimate friends and former office employes. The table was unusually attractive with fruit and large red roses.

Those who enjoyed Patterson's hospitality were:

Messrs. and Mesdames J. D. Patterson, B. H. Nelson, F. S. Harrison, Fred Weber, R. J. Spooner, Misses Queen Brown, Lena McGee, Messrs. H. V. Bridgeford, George Vincent, W. W. Patterson of Oakland.

ATWATER

A birthday supper was given by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pelley of Atwater in honor of the birthday of their son, Clinton, who celebrated his twenty-second birthday. Those invited to the dinner were Miss Florence Littlejohn, Miss Joice McIntyre, Miss Emma Stein, A. T. Rector, and Oliver W. Oswalt, all of Atwater.

VISALIA

Members of the Huffaker family were reunited in a delightful dinner party given by Mrs. J. V. Huffaker in her home Sunday. The afternoon and evening passed pleasantly with music, picture-taking and other entertainment. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Huffaker, of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Huffaker, of Fresno; Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Huffaker and son, Ted; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Huffaker and four children, Merlo, Rosalie, Marjorie and Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dollner; Harold Huffaker, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Ingram; Miss Violet Crose, Mrs. J. V. Huffaker, all of Visalia, and Mrs. A. Duncan, of Fresno.

The Royal Neighbors, of Visalia, were hosts Monday evening to Neighbors from other communities in the county at a box social held in Woodman Hall. A pleasing program was enjoyed followed by dancing, music being provided by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Globisch.

A very enjoyable birthday dinner was given by Mrs. William Casebolt Sunday, the occasion being in honor of Mrs. Mary Patrick and Mrs. Minnie Michels whose birthdays occurred on November 25th and 26th respectively. Many friends and neighbors were present and a very enjoyable evening was had.

The Tri-Purpose Club of the First Baptist Church is preparing a pageant to be given at the church Friday evening, December 8th. The directors are the teachers of the three units: Miss Rosella Brock, Mrs. Eva Reavis and Mrs. H. G. Eichmann.

The women of the Old Testament will appear in song and also in stories and dramatic sketches written by Mrs. George L. Righter, Mrs. L. W. Bennett, Miss Ruth Fridell, Miss Monga Haas; by the club executive committee, Miss Carolyn Shepard, Miss Edna Brock, Miss Nadine Vaught, Miss Louise Conner and Miss Mabel Doss, and by the Home Lovers' Pageant Committee.

The club is inviting anyone interested in this line of work to enjoy the evening with them.

REEDLEY

The members of the young married women's class of the Methodist Episcopal Church met in the country home of Mrs. W. S. Gray, near Mt. Olive, Friday afternoon, to make plans for the holding of a chicken pie dinner.

The members of the class hold social meetings once a month and when the chicken pie supper is given the husbands of the members will be the guests.

The Mt. Olive Leisure Hour Club members were entertained in the home of Mrs. Henry Bell Thursday afternoon. Mrs. C. J. Jackson was to be a hostess to assist Mrs. Bell in entertaining, but on account of illness in the family she was unable to attend.

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The topic for the afternoon was Thanksgiving and a very interesting program occupied the afternoon. A delicious luncheon was served the guests cafeteria style at the conclusion of the afternoon.

Worth Stewart, of Fresno, was the guest of honor at a dinner party given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taul Saturday, the motive for the occasion being his birthday. Covers were laid for the following who were served a delicious turkey dinner.

Mrs. M. W. Stewart, Mrs. Lucille Hogan and daughter, Mary, Wesley Cain and Worth Stewart of Fresno, Miss Ruby Taul and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taul.

CORCORAN

A meeting was called at the woman's club house here Tuesday afternoon for the organizing of a girls' auxiliary to the Corcoran Thursday Club. About thirty-five girls were present.

The county chairman of the girls' auxiliary committee, Mrs. L. P. Mitchell, was a factor in bringing about the organization. Others on the committee are Mrs. B. C. De Shon and Mrs. W. P. Theno.

Mrs. E. H. Howe, president of the Hanford Woman's Club, accompanied by members of the Hanford Girls' Auxiliary, were present and gave an outline of their organization, its duties and functioning.

Miss Elsie Puls was appointed temporary president of the Corcoran auxiliary, and Miss Ruth Lang secretary. A meeting will be called by Miss Puls soon for permanently organizing.

Those in attendance from Hanford were Mrs. E. H. Howe, Miss Fanny Baggley, president of the Hanford Girls' Auxiliary; Misses Nellie Baggley, Faye Davis, Eva Brewer, Elizabeth Clark, Cecile De Mont, Dortha Dodge and Wilma Waite. The Corcoran girls in attendance were, Misses Elsie Puls, Ruth Lang, Vernie McFarland, Gladys Dodson, Lela Mae Blackburn, Lora Thomas, Dorothy Palmer, Lorraine Parrish, Edith Parrish, Celess Bowley, Elizabeth Palmer, Clara Rose, Florence Morton, Louise Short, Carmalita Montgomery, Natalia Montgomery, Alice Ruple, Lura Carden, Lucille Carden, Helen Ashby, Flo Pressler, Mildred Swartz, Vivien Brown, Alwina Strong.

TAFT

Members of the Entre Nous Dancing Club, recently organized in Taft, held their initial dance Friday at the woman's improvement club house.

The dance proved to be one of the most successful social affairs given this season, nearly every member of the club being in attendance.

At midnight, supper was served, each woman being presented with a prize chrysanthemum while at the table. Hosts were Messrs. and Mesdames F. C. Macomber, Charles del Bondio, G. Ray Johnston, W. L. Adkisson and O. A. Sommers. Dances will be held the last Friday night of each month, during the Winter season.

Mrs. C. E. Zimmerman was hostess at a party given recently in honor of her sister, Mrs. M. M. Branson of South Taft. The affair was a surprise to the honor guest who was presented with a number of handsome gifts. Included in the affair were Mesdames Robert W. Griffin, Albert Lewis, G. A. Allen, J. Allen, C. Blagg, S. Gregory, E. J. McDonald, John Frakes, H. P. Snyder, William Haventy, Ray Johnson, L. Van Horn, C. Klein. Misses Helen Plummer and Leona Coffee.

GOSHEN

There was a masquerade ball last evening at the school house for the benefit of the school.

Miss Rita Higgins and Charles Safford were married Monday morning. They are now on their honeymoon. On their return they expect to reside in Goshen.

-- OIL AND MINING NEWS --

Coalinga Produces 554,705 Barrels Of Oil During October

730 Wells Operating In District Establish Gain Of 46,000 Barrels Over Figures Submitted For September

COALINGA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—With a record of 554,705 barrels of oil produced during the month closing November 1, an increase of 46,000 barrels over the month closing October 1, 730 wells in the Coalinga oil field were producing oil the first day of this month. This is according to announcement at the office of the Independent Oil Producers' Agency in this city.

According to announcement made by the producers agency, as much oil now is being produced as in any pumping field, such as Coalinga is, in the country. While there are several flowing wells in the northern end of the Coalinga field, most of the wells bring the oil to the surface by means of pumps.

Many Wells Now Idle

Due to a heavy production brought in in Southern California oil fields, from gusher wells, several of the companies which operate upon an extensive basis in this field have curtailed their operations here. It is stated that gusher wells are producing such quantities of oil at the present time that there is an overproduction. The result is that some 779 wells here are either idle for repairs, or have been closed down because of the transfer of the companies of their oil producing activities to the newer fields.

The Shell, Pacific and American oil concerns are the three largest oil concerns operating in the local field; the Standard Oil Company, which owns several wells in the district, and also owns an extensive acreage of undeveloped oil land, has not been producing oil in this field for a number of years.

Large Independent Holdings

In the local field are some 400 independent wells. Most of their oil is marketed through the producers agency. Under long-term contracts made with the larger oil companies, this oil is sold at the prevailing market price.

It is pointed out the independent producers can force the acceptance of the oil by the larger companies, which are bound to accept, while the producers themselves can break their contract at any time they desire.

Report Submitted

The oil report for November 1st, as issued by the producers' agency for the Coalinga field, is as follows:

Total finished wells Nov. 1	1,598
Active drilling	35
Idle drilling	46
Active producing	730
Idle producing	777
Rebuilding or repair	50
Abandoned during month	
Total production for October	554,705
Fuel used	10,513
Shipments to marketers	520,564
Field stocks	245,470

FRESNO MEN SECURE NEW TAFT LEASE

New Company Takes Over Section Adjoining Calaposa

TAFT (Kern Co.), Nov. 29.—The contest which is on in the Hovey Hills district lying just south of Twenty-Five Hill, that leases may be obtained on the various tracts, resulted in Zed Phelps of Coalinga and a number of Fresno associates tieing up another valuable piece of land Tuesday.

The property taken over was the west half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 25, 32-23. It was formerly owned by J. D. Peterson and associates. This property lies immediately adjoining the Taft Petroleum property on which the Calaposa Oil Company is drilling its first well.

Considered Good Property

It is considered one of the best in the fields and because of this, promises to increase in value to an exceedingly high point. The Calaposa well is now down 1100 feet and has been in the oil sand intermittently for more than 600 feet. As the Calaposa well is but 200 feet from the line of the newly purchased property, there is every indication that drilling will bring about the same results as found by the Calaposa Company.

Associated with Phelps in the purchase of the property are E. Scott Smith, W. W. Stice and J. J. Turner, all of Fresno.

GRAVEL WILL BE WORKED IN STAMP MILL

Experiment To Be Tried By Columbus Mine At Tuolumne

SONORA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—Running gravel through a stamp mill to extract its gold content is an experiment about to be tried at the Columbus mine, situated on Cherokee Flat, about two miles north of the town of Tuolumne.

The loose surface gravel was mined in the early days by washing it in ground sluices or wooden sluice boxes and was rich with gold.

In the course of their operations the miners encountered what is commonly known as cement gravel, which, although containing gold, they were forced to leave, because it does not yield or disintegrate under the action of water.

Much Placer Dirt

There is also much placer dirt of the ordinary kind on the Columbus ground that was either overlooked by the old-time miners, or left untouched because it did not yield what was then considered large enough profits.

All of this, according to present intentions, will be worked through the ten-stamp mill on the property. Pieces of quartz float are scattered in the placer dirt that will be made to give up their gold content by the crushing process.

The mill is being put in readiness for operations and before very long it will be determined by actual milling test whether or not the experiment will prove a success.

WELL NEAR FRESNO TO BE "SPUDDED IN" TOMORROW

CALWA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—Preparations have been completed at the site of the well which is to be drilled near here, by the Fresno Associated Oil and Gas Company for the official "spudding in" ceremonies, which will take place at the well at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

The company has been preparing to drill for fifteen months.

Officials of the company will speak at the ceremonies to-morrow.

WASHINGTON MILL NEARS COMPLETION

Madera Men Announce Operations Will Be Under Way In Few Weeks

MADERA (Madera Co.), Nov. 29. Sherwood Green, secretary of the California Casa De Oro Mining Company, received word from Mariposa to-day that all of the machinery had been moved to the mine for the construction of the new mill and was being placed on foundations.

The mill building itself was completed last week, and as soon as the work of fitting is completed the mill will commence operation, which is expected to be within a few days.

Ten Men Employed

The Washington mine owned by this company employs ten men constantly in its operation. Development work has been going on since August.

Among the Madera men employed are Frank Kates, superintendent; Walter Boring, hoist man; Steve Wilcox, miner, and N. Thompson, wood cutter.

Recalls Old Bonanza

The development on the Washington brings to mind some of the old rich mines of Mariposa County. The Hite Mine in the same vicinity was discovered by a squaw, the wife of a Mariposa man named Hite. More than $2,000,000 were taken out before going down 200 feet.

In addition to the Washington Mine, about to commence operations, the same corporation owns the Sharlee, Marion and Wardlow, all adjoining the Washington on the same vein.

Considerable discussion was evoked about three weeks ago when Green brought a genuine gold brick to Madera from a test mill run, which was shipped to the mint through the First National Bank.

Oily Clay Is Found By Drillers Of Water Well Near Waterford

A well being drilled this week near Empire, six miles west of Waterford, by C. G. Bradley, in common with many other wells in this section, at a depth of about sixty feet, passed into a strata of oily blue clay bearing more or less of a substance appearing to be lignite coal.

This is considered another indication of the strong probability that oil will be struck with depth. On the pit for the first well at the derrick on the Rushing ranch a strata of marine shells were struck at fifty feet which is also deemed a good indication by oil experts.

Raisin City Men Moving Tools And Equipment To Signal Hill Oil Lease

RAISIN CITY (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—W. B. Swan, the field manager of the Fresno Petroleum Company, and Roy Ellis returned from Los Angeles and are back on their lease west of town.

They are preparing to drill at Signal Hill, near Long Beach, and are here for part of their tools and equipment.

It is their intention, however, to return by the first of the year and resume drilling here.

Three large trucks and a trailer are being used by the company to transport the equipment to their Long Beach property.

Crows Landing Prospect Well Is Down 500 Feet

CROWS LANDING (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 29.—The well being drilled by W. H. Hurd on the Armstrong place, five miles west of here, has reached a depth of 500 feet.

Homer Tucker is the owner of the lease, and recently had a rig installed, with Hurd in charge of operations.

California Mining Industry Employed 38,000 Men In 1921

SACRAMENTO BEE BUREAU, Nov. 29.—The mining industry furnishes employment for approximately 38,000 men in California, according to a report just filed by Fletcher Hamilton, state mineralogist, who says the men are engaged in mining in the following branches:

Mines, dredges, quarries, cement and brick plants employ 13,080; and 25,000 are engaged in oil operations, exclusive of refinery workers.

The mineral production of the state for the year was $263,152,472, or about $7,000 as the output credited to each man engaged in the industry during the past year.

OIL PRODUCTION IN KERN COUNTY 4,232,623 BARRELS

Midway-Sunset Field Leads All Sections During Last Month

BAKERSFIELD (Kern Co.), Nov. 29.—Kern County's oil production during the month of October totaled 4,232,623 barrels, according to statistics just compiled. The daily average was 136,537 barrels, which came from the 5087 wells now producing in the county.

The Midway-Sunset fields led the production list with 2,445,023 barrels. The Elk Hills was next with 756,513, while Kern River was third with 620,075 barrels. The McKittrick field produced 202,612 barrels and the Lost Hills and Belridge, 208,400 barrels.

During October there were twelve new rigs put up and fourteen new wells completed with an initial production of 2620 barrels of oil. Seventy-eight wells were under the course of being drilled and four were abandoned.

Taft Men Complete Trip Of Inspection To Silver Holdings In Kern County

TAFT (Kern Co.), Nov. 29.—Bringing optimistic reports of the progress being made in the Randsburg silver field, Gus Ninkovich and Edson Abel, officials of the Rand Mining and Milling Company have returned from a tour of the district, and an inspection of the home claim which is being developed by the company.

Possibilities that gold bearing ore may be encountered by some of the operators now at work in the district is entertained by many of the men now engaged in mining there, the Taft men reported upon their return here.

Randsburg Man Visits Piedra Mining Claims

PIEDRA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—John B. Siebert, a silver mine operator in the Randsburg district, is spending a few days here, visiting his mineral claims, which are located near Piedra.

Knights Ferry Man Goes To Angels Camp Mine

KNIGHTS FERRY (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 29.—Norman Smith has gone to Angels Camp to attend to mining business.

Smith is part owner of the Smith and Croogs mining claim at Carson Hill, near Angels which was recently bonded for $20,000.

MIDWAY FIELD IS SCENE OF MUCH OIL OPERATION

Six New Wells 'Spudded In' During Week Near Taft

BAKERSFIELD (Kern Co.), Nov. 29.—Six new oil wells were started in Kern County during the past week, one redrilling job was begun and eight tests for water shutoff were made.

The new wells were all located in the Midway field, near Taft, three of them being started by the Honolulu Consolidated Oil Company, whose extensive drilling campaign during the past year has been one of the big features of the development industry during that period.

Many Companies At Work.

The Honolulu's new wells are designated as Nos. 16, 17 and 18 and are located in Section 6, 32-24.

The Pacific Oil Company has started a crew of drillers at work putting down its No. 10 well, which is located on Section 35, 31-23, in the Midway.

The Midland Oilfields Company, Ltd., a few days ago spudded in for a new well on Section 24, 31-23, in the Midway. The well will be known as the No. 3.

The North American Oil Consolidated is boring a new hole to be known as No. 20, on Section 2, 32-23, not far from Taft.

The Sagebrush Oil and Gas Company has announced the beginning of its second well on the Lakeshore lease in Kings County. The well is on property in Section 18, 23-19.

The Pan American Petroleum Company is redrilling its No. 2-G well in the Elk Hills, located on Section 2, 31-24, which was put down some time ago.

Tests for water shutoff in the various fields during the past week were:

Elk Hills—Belridge Oil Company, Section 34, 30-24; Honolulu Consolidated Oil Company, Section 3, 32-24.

Midway—Franklin Oil Company, Section 35, 29-21; Chanslor Canfield Midway Oil Company, Section 6, 32-23; Record Oil Company, Section 28, 31-23.

Sunset—Heard and Painter Company, Section 3, 11-24.

Kern River—E. A. Clampitt, Section 36, 28-27.

Coalinga Man Transferred To New Pipe Line Post

COALINGA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—George Snyder of this city, superintendent of the Associated Pipe Line Company in the district extending from Mendota to Maricopa, with headquarters here, has been named superintendent of the Fresno district by the same company. His new headquarters will be at Tracy. The change, according to the announcement made here, is effective December 1st.

William Stubbs of the Fresno office is to be his successor here.

New Strike At Randsburg Starts Stampede To Mines

WASCO (Kern Co.), Nov. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Brothers spent Sunday and Monday in Randsburg and Atolia. Much activity is reported from the whole district and a new strike at Camp Myrick, about thirty miles northeast of the Kelly mine, has created a stampede into that region.

Wheeler Ridge Gusher May Open Up Sensational Kern County Oil Field

BAKERSFIELD (Kern Co.), Nov. 29.—With the bringing in of a gusher at Wheeler Ridge, thirty miles south of Bakersfield, Kern County has a new oil field that may exceed in sensational production any field thus far discovered in the San Joaquin Valley, not excepting the famous Elk Hills, according to geologists who have visited the property during the past few days.

The well was brought in early last week at a depth of 2,000 feet with an initial production of between 800 and 2,000 barrels. It was disclosed after tests on the production were made. The oil is of 28 gravity.

Field Is Restricted

The new Wheeler ridge field is supposed, according to geologists, to be a restricted one limited to not more than a dozen sections of land, but it is a shallow one and apparently of very high gravity oil. Water conditions are equally favorable. Owing to the level surface of the territory immediately surrounding the field transportation conditions also are favorable.

The Wheeler ridge is a spur of low hills running almost east and west, starting from a point a couple of miles west of the State Highway about three miles north of the mouth of the Tejon Canyon at Grapevine Station. The discovery well is located in the southeast quarter of Section 28, Township 11, Range 20.

In New Territory

The nearest producing oil wells are in the East Maricopa fields at least twenty-five miles distant.

The property on which the well was drilled belongs to the Kern County Land Company and is a part of the San Emigdio ranch. With the exception of a few government sections all of the property immediately adjacent is owned by the same company.

Fortunate locators on the government sections include Dr. N. N. Brown, E. F. Brittan and L. F. Lavers of Bakersfield, F. W. Rush of San Emigdio, and a group of Associated Oil Company employes of Fellows.

Started Eighteen Months Ago

Drilling in the district was begun by the Standard eighteen months ago when a well was started in Section 26, about a mile and a half east of the discovery well.

This well was put down 5500 feet without oil of commercial quantity being found. Within a week after this well had been abandoned the Standard started its new well and within ten days oil sand had been struck at about 1150 feet. At a depth of 1560 feet more sand was found and when the drill had reached a depth of 2050 feet the drill was taken out and the first string of 10-inch casing landed at 1970 feet, cemented off and an 8-inch string put in.

The cement was drilled through last Saturday and the process of bringing in the well was in progress during the past week. The ground immediately surrounding the well and the sump is at present well stained with oil.

Romance In Discovery

Discovery of a real oil well in the Wheeler Ridge district culminates one of the most interesting romances of the local oil fields. As long ago as twenty years the first well was started in the district.

This was known as the Wheeler-Bancroft well from the names of its promoters and the ridge of hills adjacent took its name from one of the original drillers. Since then a number of "wildcats" have been drilled in the flat which skirts the ridge, and while indications of oil were found in all of them, none were brought in as producers.

Henderson Drilled Here

The most famous prospector for oil in this district was Zeke Henderson, an oldtime driller who spent a fortune and the greater part of five years trying to find the elusive oil pool there.

One of Henderson's wells was drilled to the granite at a point not over a quarter of a mile from where the "break" in the oil sand is now supposed to have occurred.

The success of the Standard's prospecting is expected to add stimulus to the drilling of wells at Comanche Point, about twelve miles to the east of the Wheeler Ridge and to the Fred Hill well about eight miles north, in both of which wells splendid indications of oil are said to have been found at comparatively shallow depths.

San Joaquin Personals

PIEDRA

G. F. Morris has resigned his position as manager of the Woodrock Gravel Company to engage in business in Sanger.

Jesse Fike has resigned his position with the rock company and is moving to Sanger.

Mrs. Bert Jestram spent Monday in Fresno, shopping and calling on Mrs. Walter Winters at a sanitarium where she is recovering from a recent operation.

J. B. Snyder is spending the week with his brother, F. M. Snyder and family.

Charles Bowen has come to live with his sister, Mrs. Mike Steigh, on their ranch near Piedra.

CORCORAN

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Miller of Seattle, Washington have arrived from the north and are making an extensive visit here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Battelle and family. Mrs. Battelle is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miller.

Mrs. G. H. Cutter accompanied by Mrs. J. T. Bell motored to Fresno Monday.

L. F. Bacon has returned from the South after spending the week-end in Los Angeles.

H. J. Werner of San Francisco spent the past week in Corcoran.

ALPAUGH

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Paup from Ketchikan, Alaska, and their daughter Mrs. N. J. Busfield from Seattle are the guests of J. O. Paup of Alpaugh.

REEDLEY

Miss Nellie Alford, teacher in the Reedley High School, who has been ill for several days, has left for her home in Los Angeles.

Miss Josephine Nebis has returned from a two-weeks' visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. F. A. Maxey, at Snelling.

Miss Marjorie Warburton, of Modesto, returned home after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Hulme Warburton for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Steinerts and family have arrived in Reedley from Hillsboro, Kansas, and plan to make their home in Reedley. They are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Entz.

Clarence and Conrad Fortier and Dale Taul spent Saturday and Sunday duck hunting at Tulare Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Naldeman left Friday night for an extended trip to Kansas. The first stop will be made at Merril, Kansas, where they will attend a re-union of the Haldeman families and later plan to visit at Newton and Moundridge.

ZEBRA

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander have returned home with Mrs. Oliver Chetwood of Sultana. On Thanksgiving Day Mrs. Chetwood will entertain all her married daughters and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Keith have returned from Fresno where they having been shopping for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Ward will have as Thanksgiving guests their daughter and son-in-law of Stockton.

Peter Anderson motored to Madera Monday.

GOSHEN

Mrs. James Mead, who has been quite sick with the influenza is much better.

Freddie Phillip was visiting his aunt in Fresno over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Phillip have moved to their ranch, one mile west of Goshen.

Mrs. M. Robinson, who has been ill with the influenza, is able to out again.

NEWMAN

C. A. DeLong, formerly a resident of this community was here and at Stevenson, a few days this week before returning to his home at San Jose.

KNIGHTS FERRY

Eugene Eastin has resigned his position as bookkeeper at a local dairy company and is taking a few days' vacation in San Francisco. William Franklin will take up the book work in the office.

Henry Meier Jr. returned Tuesday from a stay of several days in Oakland with his father, who is convalescing from a long spell of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hastings and daughter Ena were Oakland visitors on Saturday. Mrs. Hastings who has been seriously ill, is now greatly improved.

C. W. Emart and family motored to Modesto Saturday.

Knights Ferry visitors from Modesto Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman H. Severin and son, Otto, and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Stellfeater.

ATWATER

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kendall of Chowchilla were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stein of Atwater Monday. Mrs. Stein is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kendall.

M. J. David motored to San Jose yesterday where he will spend Thanksgiving with his wife and daughters. David owns a large ranch near Atwater and has been here for some time looking after his crops.

E. A. Heller of Atwater went to San Francisco Sunday on a business trip returning Monday evening. He was accompanied by his wife Mrs. E. A. Heller and Miss R. Gibbs and Miss Ella Mack. Miss Mack is visiting relatives here. Her home is in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

HILMAR

Mr. and Mrs. T. Shevlin and son Harold left Sunday for a week's visit with Mrs. Shevlin's parents at Santa Ana.

Louis Dahlstrom has purchased the Culp property on Washington Avenue.

GUSTINE

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dowd have gone to Sacramento, where they will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. T. Conlon.

Mrs. L. Woodruff has just returned from a visit to her mother at Scranton, Pa. She reports having found her mother in the best of health and expecting to come to California in the Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jensen spent the week-end in Oakland visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson of Merced spent the week-end with Mrs. G. L. Kerr of this city. Wilson has charge of the manual training in the Merced High School.

Mrs. George Steele left this morning for San Francisco, where she will spend a few days with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Miller have returned from San Francisco, where they attended the convention of the press association.

Mrs. R. McAllister and Miss Stella McAllister of San Francisco have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Austin of this city.

TURLOCK

Mr. and Mrs. John Helgeson and Charles Helgeson left last night for their former home in Grasston, Minn., which they intend to make their permanent residence.

Mayor W. E. Bridegroom, who has been ill with pneumonia for the past four weeks, is up and around again. He made his first trip down town yesterday and was congratulated by his many friends.

MENDOTA

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hearns made a business trip to Fresno Thursday.

Mrs. John Taft was a visitor in Kerman Friday.

Miss Jane McAllister spent the week-end with relatives in Fresno.

E. Christian was a business visitor in Fresno Friday.

William Yerrington was in Fresno Monday on business.

Miss Gladys Daly is attending the teachers' institute this week in Fresno.

Mrs. W. W. Scott spent the week-end with her parents at Biola.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kazaro were here on business Saturday.

CARUTHERS

Mr. and Mrs. William Bennett of Elsmore, Kansas, are visitors at the home of their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bennett. They plan to remain in California a year.

Miss Belle Bowen of Caruthers is visiting her sister Mrs. Benson Mitchell of Parlier.

FOWLER

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Long and daughter, Betty Ann, and Mrs. Long's mother, Mrs. Rosa Griffin, leave to-morrow for San Francisco to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Griffin's son, Frank.

Charles Rigby of San Francisco, is here this week to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

J. P. Munger arrived Sunday to spend Thanksgiving with his neice, Mrs. R. J. Murray.

DELANO

W. J. Slosson came over from Elk Hills for the week-end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Woosley had Sunday dinner at McFarland with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Styles.

E. E. Timmons was up from Bakersfield Saturday.

Mrs. Merle Dyer spent the week-end in Bakersfield.

Miss Agnes Mahan was up from Bakersfield over Saturday and Sunday.

ALPAUGH

C. C. Norton is in Alpaugh making his monthly tests at the dairies. Norton, who is Tulare County cow tester, has recently returned from a trip to Seattle.

R. R. Cope and family, who recently moved away from Alpaugh, are now located on a ranch in Berros, near Arroy Grande.

PATTERSON

J. H. Yancey of Newman, was in Patterson Tuesday looking after business matters.

Mrs. Fred Ventulcth spent several days last week in San Francisco shopping.

Mrs. Blanch Morton of San Francisco and J. E. Hollister of San Jose are here looking after their business interests.

ELOVIS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Irvine of Chowchilla spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus McLaughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carpenter have returned home, he very much improved in health. They expect to go to the Mercy Hot Springs for a month soon.

KINGSBURG

Dr. E. A. Larson is expected home to-day after spending a day or so to San Francisco and seeing the big football game between the University of California and Stanford. Dr. Larson is a graduate of the University of California Medical College.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS IN THE SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY

BIRTHS

HILL—In Lindsay, Tulare County, November 26, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill, Jr., of Visalia, a daughter.

FLETCHER—In Visalia, Tulare County, November 26, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Fletcher, a son.

GRAM—In Visalia, Tulare County, November 27, 1922—To Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gram, of Visalia, a son.

FOSTER—In Visalia, Tulare County, November 27, 1922—To Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Foster, a daughter who has been named Norma Irene.

KENDRICK—At Merced, Merced County, November 24, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Earl Kendrick, a daughter, Marilyn Louise.

MITTENDORF—At Atwater, Merced County, November 27, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. L. Mittendorf of Atwater, a son.

LATZ—At Coalinga, Fresno County, November 27, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Latz, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

SAFFORD-HIGGINS—In Visalia, Tulare County, November 27, 1922, Charles Edson Safford, 27, and Miss Margaret Higgins, 24, both residents of Fresno. Justice J. S. Clack officiated.

HARMON-ROOT—In Turlock, Stanislaus County, November 24, 1922, by Rev. E. C. Davis, William Harmon and Miss Sylvia Root, both of Denair.

EHRKE-MOORE—In Hanford, November 26, 1922, Eric Ehrke and Miss Anna Moore, both of Dinuba.

SHEWCROFT-ORTEGO—In Hanford, November 25, 1922, at the courthouse, William Shewcroft and Seraphine Ortego, both of Delano.

SINGTER-BECK—In Visalia, Tulare County, November 26, 1922—Joseph E. Mentzer, 23, and Oma Beck, 20, both residents of Cutler. Rev. R. H. Sandefur officiating.

BERGLUND-ENGSTROM—In Visalia, Tulare County, November 27, 1922—William Frank Berglund of Visalia and Ellen Marie Engstrom of Minneapolis, Minn. Rev. R. K. Wright officiating.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

ZIMMER-HOUGHAM—In Bakersfield, Kern County, November 27, 1922, G. Zimmer, 22, and Mary Elnor Hougham, 18, both of Bakersfield.

AUSTIN-BRIMHALL—In Visalia, Tulare Co., November 27, 1922, Winford Earl Austin, of Bakersfield, 19, and Lamar Brimhall, of Bakersfield, 18.

BERGLUND-ENGSTROM—In Visalia, Tulare County, November 27, 1922, William Frank Berglund, 21, of Visalia, and Ellen Marie Engstrom, 21, of Minneapolis, Minn.

NETTLETON-SMITH—In Visalia, Tulare County, November 27, 1922, Robert Nettleton, 69, and Adina Smith, 58, both residents of Woodlake.

SAFFORD-HIGGENS—In Visalia, Tulare County, November 27, 1922, Charles Edson Safford, 24, and Margaret Higgens, 22, both of Goshen.

RUAN-GUSMAN—At Merced, Merced County, November 27, 1922, Emilio Ruan, 27, and Stella Gusman, 24, both of Atwater.

BABCOCK-LAMPMAN — At Merced, Merced County, November 27, 1922, Hugh R. Babcock, 22, and Myrle Ione Lampman, 19, of Madera.

DIVORCES

HORTON—In Visalia, Tulare County, November 27, 1922—Ethel Horton, of Dinuba, from Baron Horton, of Dinuba. Suit filed on the grounds of desertion.

FIORETTE—In Visalia,

SAN JOSE TIRE SALESMAN KILLS WIFE AND SELF

Well Known Man Shoots Woman Who Had Sued For Divorce

SAN JOSE (Calif.), Nov. 29.—Harry Hansen, aged 35, prominently known as an automobile tire salesman here, and his wife, Daisy Dean Hansen, were found shot to death at their home here to-day.

Investigation convinced the police that Hansen had shot his wife and then committed suicide.

Mrs. Hansen's father, Garrett Wall, who was at the home of Mrs. Hansen, told the police that Hansen came here early to-day seeking a reconciliation with his wife. She had filed suit for divorce.

Investigation proved police said, that Hansen had fired five shots at his wife, three taking effect. She had fled down the hall and dropped dead near the door.

Hansen had then gone into a bed room, reloaded his gun and fired three shots into his own head and body, dying almost instantly.

The Hansens were in comfortable circumstances and he was widely known in San Jose and vicinity.

Bottom Drops From Bay City Turkey Market

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Predictions that mixed lots of turkeys would be selling for 25 cents a pound and choice birds perhaps only five cents higher on the wholesale market before night were made at noon to-day.

The turkey market, demoralized yesterday, was thrown into confusion to-day by heavy receipts particularly from Oregon.

Prices dropped steadily lower during the day and at noon the finest were quoted as low as 35 cents.

Speculators who bought their turkeys on the farm and shipped them to San Francisco expecting to find a rising market, have lost thousands of dollars, it was understood.

Rancher, Wounded By Thieves, Fights For Life

A. P. Hoopengarner, Kerman rancher shot Tuesday in a battle with turkey thieves, was still making a plucky fight for life to-day in a Fresno hospital. He was shot through the abdomen and his condition is grave. It was stated at the hospital to-day, however, that he has a chance to live.

AMUSEMENT DIRECTORY

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Die Like Gentlemen

Terrible Story Of Greek Executions

Gounaris Ill When Slain

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ATHENS, Nov. 29.—A little group of statesmen and one soldier—formerly a general in supreme command of the Greek armies, strolled into a stone-flagged yard early yesterday and faced death like gentlemen.

To-day it is possible to relate for the first time the story of how five members of the cabinet that fell with King Constantine, and the man who led the troops of Greece against the Turk, were executed by a firing squad.

Condemned to death for treason, held responsible for the crushing defeat administered to the Greeks by Mustapha Kemal, the ministers at first refused to believe the government would really go through with it. They were aware that the British threatened to sever relations if they were killed and other powerful influences were called on in their behalf—in vain.

Death Hour Arrives

Finally the hour arrived. Priests came to the jail and the doomed men were offered communion. They partook, kneeling in the barred chamber—the men who once were all highest and all powerful in Greece, whose words moved armies—now unable to save their own lives.

All were on hand except former Premier Gounaris, who was too ill to leave his bed.

Immediately after the communion, the condemned men were hurried to the place of execution.

Gounaris, scarcely able to raise his head, was rolled out of bed onto a stretcher, placed in an ambulance and so conveyed to the spot selected.

Hitlemen Wait Orders

Six squads of soldiers, five riflemen in each, were waiting there to send the fallen statesmen into the next world. They stood like automatons eyes straight ahead, as emotionless as wax figures, as the prisoners were brought in.

Gounaris was lifted out of the ambulance and placed before the firing squad. He was too sick to pay much attention to what was going on, indifferently huddled, with hands thrust deep in his pockets, he stood there with his head bowed until the volley crashed.

Gounaris dreamed of making war and restoring "the ancient glory that was Greece's." He failed and paid with his life.

Baltazzy Debonair

Baltazzy, who has been a cabinet minister under several premiers, was debonair to the last. He couldn't conceal his nervousness as he faced death. It manifested itself in the fidgety way he kept polishing his monocle, occasionally putting it to his eye to look over the preparations for the execution.

General Hadjeneslis, commander of the armies of Greece in their fateful attempt to roll back the Turks in Asia Minor, was forced to suffer military degradation before being shot.

Deposed from high office as war lord of the Greek military machine, he stood stiffly at attention, when some of the very men he used to command approached him to cut the buttons off his uniform and tear his badges from his breast.

They sawed off the buttons, ripped away the badges and left him disgraced—a row of jagged holes in his jacket where his marks of rank had been.

Tears trickled slowly down his grim face. A few minutes later his body was carried out.

The others were haggard, pale and weary looking as they marched to death, but they kept their nerve to the finish.

These executions practically wiped out the coalition cabinet which was in power during the recent war with Turkey.

Court Martial Tells Offense Of Slain Men

THE court martial which condemned the five Greek dignitaries and one general to death, stated their offense as follows:

"They concealed from the people the danger of King Constantine's return which they sought in order to enjoy high office under him. They stifled public opinion against them by terroristic methods and arranged a pretended offensive against Constantinople thereby bringing about the enemy's offensive."

Three Men Are Killed During Kentucky Raid

HARLAN (Ky.), Nov. 29.—Three men were dead to-day as a result of an attempted booze raid on the home of Harlan Ball late yesterday.

When James Pope, chief of police, entered the house in search of liquor, Ball opened fire. In a gun battle which followed, Pope shot James Ball and his son, Sidney Ball and staggered from the house mortally wounded. Pope died a few minutes later.

CHRICHTON FILES CHARGE

Police Judge J. G. Crichton has filed a formal complaint with the grievance committee of the Fresno County Bar Association, charging Attorney Richard K. Stewart with an attempt to frame up liquor charges against him. Officials of the bar association decline to make any statement as to when the matter will be acted on.

STREET CAR, AUTO COLLIDE

Glenn Proctor, 845 P Street, reported to the police last night that his auto truck had crashed into a street car on Olive Avenue. He said he was going one direction and the car another. He also said the only damage done was to the street car.

AMUSEMENT DIRECTORY

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NOW PLAYING REX INGRAM'S "The Prisoner of Zenda"
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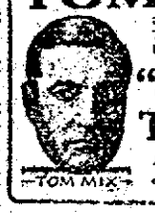
—TOM MIX—
Also "Patsy," a comedy drama.

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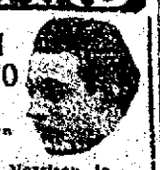
TO-DAY
RODOLPH VALENTINO AND NAZIMOVA In the modern "CAMILLE"

Also—Pete Morrison in "The Better Man Wins"

MUNICIPAL POOL TO BE DISCUSSED

The question of a municipal swimming pool of huge dimensions probably will be broached at the meeting of the Fresno City Commission on Friday by Commissioner of Finance Charles Dillon, who has been investigating a ready-made "swimmin' hole" on the bank of Dry Creek, west of Tehama and south of the Kerman Branch of the Southern Pacific Railroad.

Dillon's project contemplates the use of the thirteen acres of land now used as a sand pit and operated by Claude Thompson. The pit which has been excavated by Thompson, and which can be used for a swimming pool, is about 80 feet wide and about 500 feet long, and could easily be made available for public use, Dillon declares, at practically no cost to the municipality.

City To Lease Pit

Thompson has agreed to permit the city to use the pit, and to give the city a long term lease for a nominal sum, and in addition he has tentatively agreed to bear a share of the cost of improvements that would be necessary in the event that it is decided to carry the scheme to completion.

At the present time Dillon's plan contemplates nothing more than an experimental project with no expenditure for improvements, unless the project proves successful and is approved by the city commission.

Since the plans for constructing a swimming pool in Roeding Park were abandoned, Dillon has been working on a tentative plan for locating a public pool in some other section of the city, and the sand pit location is the best proposition that has presented itself, he said.

Minature Bathing Beach

In the event that the city commission authorizes the experiment, and it proves successful, Dillon's plan is to make permanent improvements of such a character that Fresno will have a miniature bathing beach which will fill the needs of such a place during the summer months. Bath houses, dressing rooms and others accessories usually at such places would be installed by the city, according to the proposed plan, operated at a small cost to the persons enjoying the accruing benefits, the funds so acquired going to pay operating costs and liquidation of the construction debt.

Realty Board Not To Try For Convention Of Association In 1923

The Fresno Realty Board to-day voted unanimously to waive its claims to the 1923 state convention of realtors in favor of Sacramento, which had expressed its desire for the convention before Fresno entered the field. Fresno will throw its support to Sacramento when the fight for the 1923 session opens on the convention floor at Santa Ana.

At the same time Fresno will notify the state that this city expects the 1924 state convention.

The board heard a request from the Fresno-McKinley Improvements Association for the realtors' support in a movement to terminate operation of freight over the line of the Fresno Interurban Railroad. In this connection, D. R. Ainsley suggested that the entire Pulaski branch should also be ejected from the residential district of the eastern part of the city. Both matters were referred to the civics committee.

Names of Hayden F. Jones and E. G. Hughsen were unanimously approved by the board as its representatives on the board of directors of the state association. President Herbert Levy will be the official representative of the Fresno unit to the state association.

'MARRIAGE MART' CASE REOPENED

Three Men Arrested Upon Indictments; Hearing Monday

An old story of an alleged "marriage market" for Armenian women in Fresno County was reopened yesterday and another chapter added. Harotune Selvian, his brother, John Selvian, and Harry Karagozian are in the county jail awaiting a hearing in federal court Monday on charges of violation, and conspiracy to violate, the immigration laws.

Indictments Returned

Indictments against these three men were returned yesterday by the Federal Grand Jury, and they were promptly arrested by Deputy United States Marshal S. J. Shannon.

Harotune Selvian is charged with violating the immigration laws in bringing a number of Armenian women to this country from Turkey under false and misleading statements. His brother, John, and Karagozian are charged with conspiracy with Harotune Selvian in this project.

Story Is Old

The story of this "marriage market" enterprise here is more than a year old. It first developed when an Armenian complained to George W. Moore, local immigration inspector, that he had paid $500 to Selvian for one of the women that he brought here from Turkey, but that the "goods had not been delivered." This man claimed that some other man had outbid him and had got possession of the woman he had bargained for by paying some $2,000.

According to Immigration Inspector Moore, Harotune Selvian went to Turkey in October, 1919, and returned in August, 1920, with seven Armenian women, one of whom he married before coming back.

Women Married

A short time after these women arrived here they were married off. Selvian denied that they were "sold" and said that the money paid him by the men who become their husbands was just a refund of the women's traveling expenses to America.

On the other hand, federal officials believe that this project was undertaken primarily for financial gain. The Selvian brothers and Karagezian conduct a ranch together at Lone Star.

City Offers $500 For Competitive Plans For New Play Center

MONROVIA, Cal., Nov. 29.—Five hundred dollars for competitive plans for the new municipal recreation center, for which the city recently voted $40,000 bond issue, has been approved by the city council.

Three prizes of $300, $200 and $100 will be awarded to three of the five noted architects who have entered in the contest.

The suggestion of City Clerk Louis Black that an African golf links be included in the plans was ignored by other members of the council.

Fruit Growers Invite Farmers To Convention

Shippers, growers and all other persons interested in the grape and wine distribution are urged to attend the opening session of the State Fruit Growers' and Farmers' convention in Sacramento December 12th to 14th, Guy E. Leonard, secretary of the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce, announced to-day.

The first day will be devoted to discussions on the table and wine grape problem for better methods of distribution during 1923. At present there is estimated to be 50,000 cars of grapes to be shipped next season and Fresno County will require about one-third of this amount.

Favorable Report Made On Pitney Retirement

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29. — The House Judiciary Committee ordered to-day a favorable report to the house on the resolution retiring Associate Justice Mahlon Pitney of the supreme court, who is seriously ill at his home in New Jersey. The resolution has already passed the senate, but probably will not be taken up by the house until next week.

Fresno To Have Army Truck At $1 A Year

Fresno County will get one government ex-army motor truck at a rental of $1 per year if a promise made to the board of supervisors is fulfilled. Supervisors Chris Jorgensen and Robert Lochead went to San Francisco to-day to spend Thanksgiving and while there will endeavor to secure this truck.

The board was advised some time ago that this county could get thirty of these trucks. The board promptly asked for fifteen and was informed a little later that only one truck would be available for this county. Since the government cannot give these trucks away, they are being rented to counties at $1 per year.

Wife Asks Divorce For Street Assault

Frank Landauer of Calwa, a conductor on the Santa Fe Railroad, was arrested to-day in Fresno on a warrant obtained by his wife charging him with assault and battery on Van Ness Avenue on November 8th.

Landauer plead not guilty when he appeared before Judge J. G. Crichton to-day and his trial was set for 2 P. M. January 8th. The Landauers were married in 1908 and separated in September, 1921. Mrs. Landauer resides at 1450 North Van Ness Avenue.

C. F. Fink Leads In Membership Drive

C. F. Fink still leads in the membership drive contest of the Commercial Club with twelve new applications. Roy Hasselbalch is second with eight. Intimate friends of the two members assert that the runner-up in the drive is holding back and will forge ahead soon after Thanksgiving. At noon to-day there were 119 new members on the rolls or posted on the bulletin board.

City News In Brief

Police Receive Apples—The grim guardians of the peace of Fresno are busy to-day munching apples. The fruit is the gift of W. M. Parker, 631 Normal Avenue, who sent the department a full box of red Hood River apples.

Dr. Cockrill, Orthodontist—Correction of irregular teeth, 500 Bank of Italy Building. (adv.

May Lose Finger—Mrs. Esther Edises, 310 Callisch Street, may lose her little finger as a result of an accident this morning. She was busily doing the family washing when her hand was caught in the gearing of her washing machine. Dr. W. L. Adams treated Mrs. Edises at the emergency hospital.

Election To Be Held—A social will follow the election of officers at the annual meeting of the Laundry Workers' local 86, a week from to-day, Secretary George T. Johnson of the Fresno Labor Council announced to-day. The social will start at 9 P. M., the girls providing the sandwiches and cakes, the boys the music, and Johnson the refreshments. The executive board will meet before the social at 7 P. M.

Dr. Lockwood, dentist, moderate prices. Office 711-712 Griffith McKenzie Bldg. (adv.

Vagrant Arrested—Lon Wakefield, gentleman of the road, was arrested last night by Patrolman J. S. Ross, on suspicion of robbery. He appeared before Judge J. G. Crichton this morning and pleaded guilty to a charge of vagrancy. While it could not be proved that he had robbed a comrade he left the courtroom this morning promising to return the money that his pal had lost.

Liquor Seized—J. M. Urtasum was arrested at a local rooming house this morning by Lieutenant Guy Shoun and Inspectors Joe Merritt and Alex Castellon. When Urtasum was arrested two gallons of bootleg liquor was seized. Brought directly to the courtroom by the officers Urtasum pleaded guilty and on presentation of evidence to been made he was sentenced to the effect that a sale of liquor had ninety days in the county jail.

May Lose Eye—Clark Cash was helping unload a truck this morning in the residence portion of the city. While climbing down from the truck a projecting porch rafter struck him under the eye, cutting the skin and bruising the eye-ball. Dr. W. L. Adams treated him at the emergency hospital.

Building Permit Issued—A building permit was issued to-day to Trowbitt-Shields Company, for the erection at a cost of $32,000 of a one-story brick store building at Van Ness Avenue and Merced Street for Emil Kehrlein, Jr. The excavations have been completed and construction work will be started at once.

Battery Charged—Frank Landauer, charged with battery, appeared before Judge J. G. Crichton to-day and pleaded not guilty. He demanded a jury trial. The case has been set for January 8, 1923, at 2 P. M. Landauer is accused of having beaten his wife, Evelyn Landauer, at their home, 1450 North Van Ness Avenue, on November 8th.

Collar Bone Broken—Harry E. Donahue of 2728 Madison Avenue sustained a broken collar bone yesterday afternoon when a car in which he was riding with two companions, skidded and overturned on the highway near Merced. Dr. Brett Davis had Donahue removed to the Merced County Hospital, where the fracture, was reduced. Donahue then returned to Fresno. Carter Bressing and Otto Larson, both of Fresno, who were motoring with Donahue from Fresno to San Francisco when the accident happened, were both uninjured.

Dr. Reese—Piles cured.—No detention from business. 235 Belmont Avenue. Phone 6482-J. (adv.

Ballots Received—Ballots for the nomination of the new officers of the Kiwanis Club will be received by Charles H. Meyers, secretary of the organization, until Friday morning, providing the ballots sent in by mail bear to-day's post mark. The two highest for each office will be nominated and election of officers will be held on December 14th at a banquet at the Hughes Hotel. Counting of the ballots already sent in will begin to-night.

Turkey Feast Held—More than 200 members and guests of the commercial club participated in the elaborate turkey feast in the clubrooms to-day, according to Manager Charles Jenkins.

Meeting Postponed—Owing to the failure of a number of the board of directors of the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce being absent, the weekly meeting scheduled to be held at the commercial club to-day was postponed.

Sentence Pronounced—Frank Jerome was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail by Superior Judge J. E. Woolley to-day after having pleaded guilty to assault with a deadly weapon on the person of Jessie Kirkwood. The offense was said to have occurred November 14th.

Legion Not To Meet—Fresno Post No. 4, American Legion, will not hold its regular meeting to-morrow night on account of Thanksgiving Day celebration, which will keep members away.

Witness Admits Freight Route Discriminations

WASHINGTON BEE BUREAU, Nov. 29.—The practice of the Southern Pacific in soliciting freight traffic for routings which would give the company the most satisfactory earnings was brought out to-day during the unmerger proceedings before the interstate commerce commission. The admission was made by H. H. Sanborn, witness of the shippers committee against dismemberment, while he was being cross-examined by H. A. Scardrett, Union Pacific counsel. Sanborn formerly was in the operating and traffic departments of the Southern Pacific and also served as a rate expert for the California Railroad Commission.

Following this admission by the witness, Scandrett read testimony which Sanborn gave before the California commission in 1913, which he stated that after the Harriman merger "we routed freight whichever way would give the allied Harriman lines the most money."

Discrimination Shown

Prior to the Harriman merger, his testimony before the California commission related the Southern Pacific solicits its traffic first for routing via the Sunset Gulf Route, second via New Orleans, third via El Paso on all unperishable products, and fourth through the Ogden gateway. This testimony disclosed that the Southern Pacific solicited its traffic from central and superior California prefentially by way of El Paso as against the Ogden route.

Abandonment Predicted

In his direct testimony Sanborn stated the unmerger of the roads would necessitate curtailment of service and increased rates on Southern Pacific branch lines connecting with the Central Pacific. He later enlarged upon this by stating he believed these branch lines would have to be abandoned unless they could be sold at bargain rate.

Included in those he mentioned the Ione branch, running from Galt to Ione, connecting with the Amador Central and serving the Mother Lode Territory, and the Raymond branch in the San Joaquin Valley.

Development Retarded

Joint ownership of the Northwestern Pacific Railroad by the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe is retarding development of the territory served by the Northwestern, and is one reason why Lake County still is without a railroad, Richard Saches, chief engineer of the California Railroad Commission, so testified, adding that it would be much better to have this carrier exclusively owned by one company.

With the apparent intention of bringing out that joint use of Central Pacific facilities by the Southern and Union Pacifics would be to the best interests of the public, Attorney Scandrett of the Union Pacific cross-examined Saches concerning joint use the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific made of the Oakland mole during the war. Saches said this had worked out in the public interest and in addition had affected a saving in operation costs. He believed it should be continued if satisfactory arrangements can be made between the two roads.

Unification Approved

He also expressed approval of unification terminal facilities at Los Angeles, which he said would reduce costs of operation. He had made a careful study of the effects the unmerger would have upon California, he stated, and while he has come to the conclusion the best interests of the state would be served through continuation of the present scheme of operation, he regretted he did not have more time for this investigation before being obliged to reach his conclusion, referring back to a statement he had made under direct examination that the Southern Pacific should erect a new passenger station at Sacramento, he asserted too "the new Sacramento depot is a case of public convenience and necessity with necessity underscored."

Salvation Army Drive Endorsed By Fresno Advertising Club

The Salvation Army drive was endorsed unanimously by the Fresno Advertising Club at its meeting to-day after the method of the campaign was explained by F. C. Chamberlain, campaign manager. The motion authorized the appointment of a major to have charge of the ad club participation in the drive.

Thomas R. Baird, new Chief of the Fresno Fire Department, appealed for the backing of Fresnans. Drills, which members of the department were being put through at the present time, would undoubtedly raise the standard increasing the efficiency and ultimately reduce the fire insurance rates, an attainment in which everyone was interested.

Three-minute talks of the Value of the Better Business Bureau to a community were given by F. M. Minor and Don C. Krull.

W. G. Dando will be in charge of next week's program, which will include three-minute talks by Floyd Bekin, Sidney, Green and Henry Avila on Selling of Service.

William Glass referred to the numerous drives which had been conducted lately and advocated the community chest.

Al Joy will be chairman at the club's Christmas dinner to poor children, which will be held in the lobby of the Hotel Fresno December 20th, Henry Avila, chairman of the day, announced.

Henry Hohman, chairman of the ad masque ball committee, made a report of the progress of plans and announced that tickets would be put on sale Friday through members and business houses.

CHAMBER AT LEMOORE TO STAGE DRIVE

(By Bee Bureau)

LEMOORE (Kings Co.), Nov. 29.—At the regular meeting of the Commercial Club last night it was decided to hold the annual banquet and election of officers on January 9, and at that time start an intensive membership drive.

A motion that the membership dues be increased was voted down but another that $1 per plate be charged for the banquet met with favor.

Cow testing work was discussed and H. D. Van Vlear, who has just returned from the convention of creamery men in San Francisco, made a talk pointing out what must be done to raise the dairy standard in this county.

Walter Boles reported that his committee had raised $1,055 to date to help purchase the Sequoia Lake Kiddy Camp for the Y. M. C. A.

Dinuba Chinese Conduct Own Red Cross Campaign

(By Bee Bureau)

DINUBA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—Returns from the committee in charge of the drive in the Chinese community for Red Cross memberships, conducted this year by a committee of Chinese, show that $20.50 was raised.

Sam Kai Kee had charge of the campaign among his people.

M'ADOO SAYS HE WON'T GO TO JAIL

Former Treasury Chief Declares Chauffeur May Serve Term

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 29.—William C. McAdoo, formerly secretary of the treasury, who was arrested for speeding in Visalia Monday, will not serve time in Tulare County jail, he predicted to-day.

"I would not presume to give an opinion as to what the court will do," he stated, "but if any one goes to jail it will be my chauffeur."

McAdoo said his car was halted by a motor cop who told him they had been exceeding the speed limit to the extent of fifty-one miles an hour.

"Nothing has been done to prevent the law from taking its regular course," he said. "We will appear in court Saturday."

$200,000 Company Is Formed By Routt Brothers

SACRAMENTO BEE BUREAU, Nov. 29.—Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of Secretary of State Frank C. Jordan this morning by the Routt Investment Company a Fresno firm, with a capital stock of $200,000. The directors are Melbourne C. Routt, Hiram Routt, Leonard W. Routt, Virgil S. Routt and J. K. Reeder, all of Fresno.

The company will transact a general investment business, J. K. Reeder, secretary of the corporation, said to-day.

Cupid Has Trade Slump This Year

A decided slump in Cupid's business as compared with this day of last year was observed to-day in the county clerk's office. Last year on the day before Thanksgiving twenty-five marriage licenses were issued. Up until 1 o'clock this afternoon but six couples had registered their intentions.

Three Attempts Of Vet To End Life Frustrated By Police At Oakland

AKLAND, Nov. 29.—Three attempts at suicide made during the morning by Hawkins Arnold, Canadian war veteran, held in the Oakland jail, were frustrated by the police.

Twice he attempted to hang himself with his blankets. The third time he tried to crush his skull against the wall.

He is under arrest for alleged complicity in a robbery in Richmond.

NEW COMPANY FORMED

Articles of incorporation of the Inland Manufacturing Company were filed here yesterday, the purpose stated being to engage in the general manufacturing business in Fresno. The directors are: Sidney A. McGaw, Speed B. Leas and G. L. Agnesworth, all of Fresno. The capital stock is given as $50,000. Leas to-day declined to discuss the plans of the corporation. McGaw, to whom he referred inquiries, is out of the city.

DEEDS RECORDED

T. W. Murphy et ux to Helena Krocker—Lots 23 and 24, block 26, Reedley.

Catherine A. Murphy et vir to Helena Krocker—Lots 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26, block 31, Reedley.

Guy C. Bixby et ux to Wm. Blacksill—Lot 85, of Washington Irrigated Colony.

Mabel Bradley et ux to Norman G. Trudell et ux—Lots 21 and 22, block 6, of Dean Park, Fresno.

Atwood F. Wakefield et ux to J. W. Lawrence et ux—Lots 12 and 29, block 2, Peters Addition to Fresno. Subject to mortgage.

M. P. Denison et ux to C. A. Parlier—Lots 14, 15 and 16, block 6, of First Addition to Parlier.

Los Angeles Trust and Savings Bank to Richard D. Jones et ux—Lot 363 of Hallard Lands Irrigated, Subdivision No. 2. Subject to lien of any taxes or water right charges since May 17, 1915, also to specified restrictions.

W. E. Hughes et ux to Richard D. Jones et ux—Lot 52 of Wahtoke Colony. Subject to mortgage.

Mary F. Terrance to Otis G. Maybary et ux—Lots 15 and 17, block 6, of Torrance Terrace. Subject to current taxes, also to Fresno Irrigation District rights, also to specified restrictions.

T. D. Reed et ux to A. Bustelian—Lots 17, 18, 19 and 20, block 29, Parlier.

Jeanette Merritt Mathews to Jeanette E. Merritt—Lots 24 and 31, Orangevale Colony.

J. G. Hletscher et ux to Cora Warne—Lots 15, 16 and 17, block 2, Holladia Tract.

Millie Armstrong et vir to John Garabedian and Manoch Macaklan—Described section of Sec. 22-14-21.

Millie Bailey et vir to Josephine C. Craven—Described portion of Sanger townsite.

Roeding Estate Company to Frank H. Greene et ux—Lots 1 and 8, block 16, Roeding Addition to Fresno, subject to specified restrictions.

W. S. Barron and E. W. Barron to C. J. Tibaggi—W. 50 ft. of E. 295 ft. of lot J, Calwa Acres.

H. H. Holland et ux to C. J. Tibaggi—W. 50 ft. of E. 295 ft. of lot J, of Calwa Acres.

W. C. Reid, Jr., et ux to W. C. Reid—Lots 39 and 40, Sec. 25-13-17. Part of Fresno Irrigated Farms Tract.

E. A. Fowler et ux to O. L. Higdon—W. 5 ft. of lot 10, block C, of Eaton Addition to Riverdale.

L. P. Fowler et ux and F. A. Fowler et ux to O. L. Higdon—W. 5 ft. of lot 10, block C of Eaton Addition to Riverdale.

W. F. Jones, sheriff to W. C. Reid, Jr.—Lots 39 and 40, Sec. 25-13-17. Part of Fresno Irrigated Farms Tract.

Isabella Maxwell et vir to E. A. Fowler—W. 5 ft. of lot 10, block C, of Eaton Addition to Riverdale.

J. E. Austin to Lloyd C. Austin—Lot 24 and 25, ft. 124 ft. long off S. side of lot 24, block 20, Fresno.

H. J. Schulte et ux to Frank L. Wine et ux—SW¼ of SE¼ of NW¼ and N½ of SE¼ of SW¼ of NW¼, of Sec. 28-15-19.

F. E. Cook et ux to Isaac Dean—Lots 1 and 2, block 6, of Washington Heights No. 2. Subject to specified conditions.

Pacific Improvement Company to J. C. Fredericksen et ux—Lot 7, block 11, Alta Vista Tract, Fresno. Subject to specified conditions.

A. G. Fisher et ux to Isaac Dean—Lots 1 and 2, block 6, of Washington Heights No. 2. Subject to specified conditions.

Harootun H. Hayagian to Aras Boyajian—Lot 42, Kimble Colony, Sec. 2-13-22.

Clarence Agnew et ux to George Van Vleck—NE¼ of lot 41, Ferrin Colony, Sec. 13-13-20.

Georgia A. Ingram to Albert Coates—Lot 4, block 2, of Lot 3, Bowman Addition to Fresno. Subject to current taxes.

R. Wolfard et ux to Grace J. Arnold—Lots 1 and 4, block 2, Yale Addition. Subject to mortgage, also to contract.

Logan Jackson et ux to Theodore Zeigler—NW¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 11-14-24. Subject to contract of sale.

S. F. Stedman et ux to G. W. Wilkinson—Lot 1 of lot 3 and all of lot 4, block 1 of Sunset Addition, also Elm St. block 2 of Sunset Tract. Subject to deed of trust, also to mortgage.

G. W. Wilkinson et ux to E. F. Stedman et ux—W. 145 ft. of lot 41, and S. 22½ ft. of W. 145 ft. of lot 42, block 2, Avondale.

E. C. Kirby et ux to Jean Higgins—Lots 11 and 12, block 2, Homewood. Subject to current taxes and existing sewer assessments.

Addalide Wallace to W. M. Story Jr.—Lots 3, 4 and 5, block 3, of Boyd Addition to Fresno.

J. J. Cone et ux and Marian Nazarian to Mary M. Nazarian—Lots 4 and 5, block 10, Fowler.

Manuel Moro et ux to Gerabed Tashjian—Lot 11, block 40, Fowler.

H. S. Wright et ux to Kanthawa Bros. Inc.—Lots 14, 15, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, block 37, Fresno. Subject to current taxes, also to street bonds.

BUREAUS MUST SUBMIT BUDGETS

Initiative Measure Voted At Election Brings Change In Procedure

SACRAMENTO BEE BUREAU, Nov. 29.—All self-supporting bureaus, boards and commissions of the state government that have hitherto operated on fees have been ordered to prepare and submit a budget of their expenses for the coming biennium not later than December 10th, according to an announcement here to-day by Clarence E. Jarvis, director of budgets and accounts of the state board of control.

The order was made under the provisions of the new state budget initiative adopted at the recent general election. More than a score of state organizations will be affected by the order.

Jarvis declared he expected opposition to the order since these bodies have hitherto been allowed to budget themselves from their own revenues.

It was intimated that they may be later required to turn in all revenues to the general state fund, which will amount to several million dollars.

Jarvis' act is considered significant, since it is likely to provoke a storm at the next session of the legislature, when bills are to be introduced to reorganize a number of state bodies in accordance with the new budget act.

Fuller May Not Be Returned From East To Face Perjury Charge

SACRAMENTO (Cal.), Nov. 29.—Edgar I. Fuller, former Kleagle of the local Ku Klux Klan, wanted here on a perjury charge, apparently will not beb rought back to Sacramento.

Fuller is free on bail in Omaha, but no local policeman or sheriff deputy is willing to go after him. Expense of the officer's trip east must be paid by himself if he is unable to return the defendant. The police chief and sheriff say they won't compel any of their men to take the chance.

FREE STATE BILL PASSES

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The house of commons to-day passed the bills establishing the Irish free state without a record vote.

BURGLAR SUSPECT HELD

Felix Lira, charged with the burglary of the home of T. A. Gall, 451 Coast Avenue, appeared before Police Judge J. G. Crichton to-day and was held to answer to the charge in the supreme court. Gall states that he caught Lira in his home on the night of June 15, 1922. When he asked him why he was there the accused stated that he was looking for a friend but thought he had got into the wrong house. When questioned about it this morning Lira said he was sure that he had gotten into the wrong house. He is held under $2,000 bond.

BABY SMOTHERED TO DEATH

ELMHURST (Calif.), Nov. 29.—The 15-day-old baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fernandez of Elmhurst was smothered to death here to-day, evidently when it became entangled in its bedding during the mother's absence from the room.

$10,000 DAMAGES AWARDED

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—John Garrison, aged 15, to-day was awarded $10,000 damages against Charles Pearlstein, clothier, as a result of Pearlstein's automobile running down and crippling the boy. The award was made after a jury trial.

Cora T. McCord was awarded a judgment of $9,630 by Judge C. E. Beaumont in the superior court to-day, plus $410 attorney's fees, against Walter S. Irwin, S. J. White, Peter Michel and others on a promissory note.

NOT GUILTY PLEA ENTERED

Felix Fretzler in Superior Judge C. E. Beaumont's court to-day pleaded not guilty of a statutory offense. His bail bond was set at $2,000. Date for trial was not set.

MOTORCYCLIST KILLED

OAKLAND (Cal.), Nov. 29.—Charles Ruelises of Alameda was instantly killed to-day when his motorcycle collided with an automobile driven by Clarence Sullivan of Oakland.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

JAMISON-HEDRICK—Charles H. Jamison, 22, and Annabel Hedrick, 20, both of Fresno.
RUSSO-BRUSETTI—Luigi Russo, 32, and Jennie Brusetti, 20, both of Fresno.
BUFORD-SYLVIA—Thomas K. Buford, 56, and Minnie A. Sylvia, 25, both of Sacramento.
SCHARF-MILLER — Alex Scharf, 20, Kerman, and Mollie Miller, 18, Fresno.
GIRDINA-RILLA—Tony Girdina, 21, and Teresa Rilla, 18, both of Fresno.
PARKERSON-ROBERTSON — Glen E. Parkerson, 24, and Beula M. Robertson, 18, both of Selma.

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Uniform Charges On Service And Repair Will Be Adopted

Garage Owners' Association Movement Will Be Benefit To Both Motor Car Owners And Garage Proprietors; Officers Selected At First Meeting

FRESNO garage owners and proprietors are taking a great step forward by their new organization known as the Fresno Garage Owners' Association. As a direct result, owners of motor vehicles will greatly benefit through a system of uniform service and repair charges, something that has been lacking in this city in the past.

Last week, representatives from the leading garages were called together at the Hughes Hotel and established the new organization. Sam Whiting of the Central Garage was chosen the first president, and A. B. McClain, manager of the Don Lee Garage was named secretary. All of the leading Fresno garages will be included in the membership.

Purpose Of Association

The purpose of the association is to establish a higher plane of commercial integrity for those engaged in the automobile business and allied trades, and through the application of better business methods serve the owners of motor cars to a greater degree.

Unfortunately, Fresno has been the only city of its size in the state that has not had an organization of this kind. The Motor Car Dealers' Association has served its purpose well, but has taken no hand in the affairs of garage work and service charges.

In years past in Fresno as well as other cities, garages repaired cars and charged the car owners what the traffic would bear. It is admitted, too, that often charges were made by what the garage man thought the owner of the car was able to pay.

Will Create Better Feeling

This attitude will be done away with entirely, President Whiting said to-day. "A standard scale to cover various kinds of work will be adopted and everything will be done at a minimum cost to the car owner with a reasonable margin of profit to the garage men."

A committee of Walter Adams, manager of the Dalma Garage, William Heilman and Jesse Mead to work with Whiting and McClain has been named to draw up the by-laws for the Fresno association. A meeting to adopt these rules will be called in about two weeks, McClain said to-day.

Black Point Cut-Off May Be Open Dec. 1

Although word was sent out that the Black Point cut-off was to be opened last Sunday, the Sonoma County road commissioners made an eleventh hour change in plans and the new date announced for the opening is December 1.

TRUCKS FOR LABORERS

Several thousand cotton pickers are being dispatched by motor truck from Nogales to Phoenix and other Salt River Valley cities in Arizona. Food is provided en route and the laborers are carried directly to the plantation where they are to work.

Speed Signs Posted In Atwater In Three Places

(By Bee Bureau)

ATWATER (Merced Co.), Nov. 29.—The American Automobile Association have put three 15-mile speed limit signs in the city limits of Atwater, on the Atwater-Winton County road, in the south part of Atwater on the state highway and one on the highway in the north part of town.

2,000,000 CARS

Motor vehicle production during 1922 may reach 2,000,000, according to a Firestone expert, who also figures that the 1922 tire output will break all previous records.

Garage Owners Gather About Festive Board

The organization of the Fresno Garage Owners' Association was effected at the meeting pictured below. From left to right (seated around the table) are William Heilman of the Heilman Garage; Gus Wahrman, B. and L. Garage; Walter Adams, Dalma Garage; L. B. De Lore, Golden State Garage; Sam Whiting, Central Garage; Ray Wakefield, secretary of the Motor Car Dealers' Association; A. B. McClain, Don Lee Garage; Jesse Mead, Mead & Grissel Garage; G. D. Herold, A. B. C. Garage; H. P. Jorgensen, Central Garage, and F. M. Jacobsen of the Sandell & Jacobsen Garage. At the top left (inset) is Secretary McClain and below (inset) is President Whiting. Wakefield made an interesting speech, giving the garage men many valuable tips on the motor car dealers' organization.

MOTOR TRADE MEETINGS SET FOR FEBRUARY

Conventions Planned During San Francisco Automobile Show

LEADERS OF MOTOR WORLD ARE COMING

Models From New York And Chicago Expositions Are Coming To Coast

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Automobile distributors here are making their plans for a large number of important dealer conferences to be held in this city during the great Pacific Automobile Show, dates for which have been set early in February.

Men prominent in dealer association work who have already had several meetings with Manager George A. Wahlgreen regarding the forthcoming exposition of 1923 model motor cars, are enthusiastic over the outlook for the greatest show in the history of the trade here.

The prosperity of the people this season, the record number of automobiles which are being sold and the wonderful values which are being offered in the new model motor cars are given as reasons for a record-breaking attendance and an unusual amount of trade attention.

Exhibits From East

It is also pointed out that the San Francisco show will be held shortly after the great national shows at New York and Chicago, but long enough after them to enable distributors here to bring to the coast the feature exhibits of the big national displays.

This, therefore, will enable San Francisco to show the real factory exhibits with the 1923 models direct from their reception at the big displays. Furthermore, this show will afford coast automobile men the opportunity of seeing all of these cars here in San Francisco without necessitating a trip East.

Many Conventions

With this fact in mind local dealers are planning to hold many important trade meetings during the show. Scores of conventions of California and Pacific Coast dealers will be called for show week, and the Eastern factories will cooperate with the local trade to the end of sending out many high motor car officials who will take this opportunity to confer with their Pacific Coast representatives and outline their future selling plans and policies for the 1923 season.

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HIGHWAYS IN U. S. PARKS IN NEED OF FUNDS

Auto Club To Start Campaign To Induce Congress To Appropriate Money

The good roads bureau of the California State Automobile Association, of which C. C. Cottrell, former state highway engineer of Nevada, is manager, has started a campaign to secure an appropriation of $7,500,000 for the building or roads within the national parks and monuments.

"Highway conditions in most of the parks are deplorable," says Cottrell, "and the federal government is not at all keeping pace with the improvement that local communities are making adjacent to them.

"A condition will soon come about where state and counties will have a highly improved thoroughfare up to the very entrances of the parks and then we will be unable to enjoy them to the fullest because congress has not seen fit to make the necessary appropriations.

At the last session of congress the National Park Service presented a three year program of highway improvement entailing an expenditure of $7,500,000. This was approved by General Dawes, the director of the budget, but failed of further consideration because of the naming of a new director and the adjournment of congress.

"The plan will be presented again at the present session and with the assistance of other organizations, who are vitally concerned, we hope to get it through."

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The Toll House Grade is in excellent shape and many motorists are planning week-end trips to the snow near Pine Ridge. According to the Fresno Bee correspondent, the roads are in fine condition.

TULARE BUILDS FOUR BRIDGES

Detours On Visalia-Exeter Highway Are Made Necessary

(By Bee Bureau)

VISALIA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—Pending the building of four new concrete bridges on the Visalia-Three Rivers county highway, so that the state highway commission can take over the entire twenty-nine miles as a part of the state "Sierra-to-the-Sea" highway system, the Visalia-Exeter highway has been closed to other than local traffic and detours will be necessary, according to County Surveyor Laurence A. Moye. The detours will be necessary for a period of about six weeks although every effort will be made to expedite the work.

Visalia-Exeter traffic will be detoured to the old Farmersville road which means several miles of dirt road which, however, is in good condition. Traffic going beyond Exeter to Lindsay has been advised to go via Tulare and thence across to Lindsay.

There are four bridges to be built, all of concrete before the state will accept the highway as a part of the state system. Work started Tuesday morning on them.

"As rapidly as possible," said Mr. Moye to-day, "we will throw open the various sections. Traffic between bridges will be permitted but inasmuch as the general line run through the swamp country east of Visalia it has been found impossible to make detours around the various works necessitating a diversion of traffic on a wider range."

As soon as the work is completed it is expected the state will accept the entire road from Visalia to Three Rivers to meet the state road being built thence to the Sequoia National Park line, and on the west, connecting with the highway to Hanford and Coalinga and the Pacific ocean.

Woman Claims Touring Record

Mrs. Pearl H. Doremus of Mountain Lake, N. J., claims the distinction of being the first woman to cross the United States absolutely alone in an automobile. Her longest run in one day was 245 miles.

MARKET STREET EXTENSION NOW OPEN FOR USE

Road Over Twin Peaks Not Entirely Complete, But Is Ready For Traffic

After many months the desires of motorists for a low-grade, safe route to the residential sections west of Twin Peaks have been realized by the opening of the Market Street extension over the barrier at the head of San Francisco's main thoroughfare.

Although the work is not entirely completed the road has been thrown open to traffic, and motorists can now cross Twin Peaks with a minimum of grade and safety from broken axles and springs. The new roadway is regarded by City Engineer O'Shaughnessy as the most important piece of construction accomplished in San Francisco, aside from the building of the Twin Peaks tunnel.

It is suggested that, although the motoring public will deeply appreciate the opening of the Market Street extension, it will be equally grateful for its proper lighting at night.

It is to be supposed that the construction plans for this new highway included proper lighting. Now that the boulevard is opened, it is imperative that it be made safe by adequate illumination. At the present time there is practically no lighting and much of the safety that was accomplished, from an engineering standpoint, in the building of the road is nullified by this neglect.

The Market Street extension will, in all probability, be one of the most widely used thoroughfares in the city. It will not only serve the residential districts to the west of Twin Peaks but will greatly relieve the congestion on Mission Street for traffic bound down the peninsula.

The new road is marked by turns with a very wide radius. All turns are properly banked and guarded with walls and railing.

This Is Good Road Plan To Adopt

Patrolmen in Maryland are required to report to the state highway department the location and cause of every accident that occurs on the state roads. The information acquired in this way is used by the department as a guide in the planning of improvements which will reduce the accident hazard when accidents are found to occur at any point, the dangerous feature is eliminated, even at considerable expense.

When an extra passenger is to be carried in a seven-passenger car, a section of board placed across the two auxiliary seats will accommodate the extra one in the party nicely.

Recovering Stolen Cars From Mexico Is Big Job

EL PASO (Tex.), Nov. 29.—When a car suddenly leaves the United States in the possession of a group of automobile thieves and finds its way across the border into Mexico, which would be the greater factor governing its return—native custom or federal law?

Texas authorities, on the recovery of stolen cars, find that a combination of the two elements brings about the most successful results. By diplomatic and legal means combined, hundreds of "hot" cars are returned yearly to their owners in the United States. The modern automobile investigators and adjusters, therefore, must be diplomats as well as agents of the law. Very often occasions arise on foreign soil when a knowledge of native customs is many times more valuable than the printed law of a dozen nations.

Hundreds Returned

A co-operation has been established which yearly brings the return of hundreds of cars, and, incidentally, the conviction of the thieves who sought to cache their booty on foreign soil.

A splendid example of such co-partnership is related in the story told by two El Paso adjusters who started out to recover a stolen car, insured under a California policy, which had been driven to Mexico and so completely hidden away that there seemed to be no possible clue upon which to work. But H. M. Daniels and his associate, Mr. Teague, working on a rather sudden "hunch," struck out for Juarez, old Mexico, as the best place to hit the trail.

There they called on the chief of police, made themselves known to him personally, and explained briefly the facts of the lost car case. Realizing that he could be of great service to the El Paso adjusters, the chief of police dispatched a Mexican officer to scout the city in search of an automobile answering the description given by the authorities.

The Discovery

Senor Jesus F. Gutierrez worked steadily for several days ferreting out the pet hiding places of American cars, and one morning he run onto some interesting information. At the back of a certain crude old Mexican hut, enclosed by high thick adobe walls, and built at one end of a small corral was a garage. In this place, he told the officers, were two American made cars, so cleverly concealed that they might remain there for years without detection.

Several days later, in the capacity of a police officer, Senor Gutierrez again visited the house and asked to speak to the owner. He was greatly surprised to find that a Mexican woman claimed possession of the abode and garage. She hastened to inform him, however, that she had subrented the garage to a Manuel Gokotogin, Japanese, who lived in the city and who rarely frequented the corral.

Pretending to be vitally interested in the tumble down garages hidden away behind adobe walls, Senor Gutierrez called on the Japanese and asked the honor of making some arrangements by which he

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TRADE BODY IS A BIG SUCCESS

Better Business Methods Is The Result Of Fine Organization

When automobiles were few and far between the roads of this state were in about the same condition as the motor cars, and road signs were only thin boards stuck up by some kind farmer.

Then as motor cars grew in numbers automobile clubs were formed to guard the interests of those who owned and drove automobiles.

These clubs have increased in size until they number their members by the thousands. The California State Automobile Association and the Automobile Club of Southern California have grown to huge size with branches everywhere, and service that extends up and down the state.

The California Automobile Trade Association is doing for the automobile trade what the automobile clubs are doing for the motorist.

The California Automobile Trade Association was organized in 1915, with a membership of four local associations: Alameda, Santa Clara, San Joaquin and Sacramento Counties. Since that time the association has grown to include the whole of the state.

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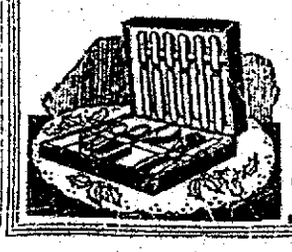

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Famous Authors Found Inspirations In Old Mother Lode Country

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Member, State Board of Control

A BILL creating "The Mother Lode Highway" was passed by the last legislature, but it carried no appropriation. Since the bill has been signed the State Highway Commission has made a complete survey of the route and they will soon have an estimate of the cost.

The route begins at Auburn, Placer County, and ends at Sonora, Tuolumne County, passing through El Dorado, Amador and Calaveras, along the Mother Lode or early day Pioneer Gold Trail. On this trail there has been produced since gold was first discovered at Coloma, El Dorado County, $765,000,000. Since 1880 this same district has produced $222,000,000 and is still keeping up a steady production of the precious metal.

Route of Highway

The Mother Lode Highway will pass through the most populous part of the counties it traverses; also through the ghost mining camps of pioneer days where only here and there a lonely chimney or the ruins of a stone house are left to remind the traveler of the restless crowd of eager gold seekers who thronged the busy streets.

Along its route lie Coloma and Weber Creek, Jackass Hill and Murderers Gulch, Columbia and Gopher Flat, Butte City and Carson Hill, Chili Gulch and Poverty Bar whose placer fields and hydraulicked hills and tunneled canyons yielded up the dust and nuggets to finance the Civil War, and to lay the financial foundation of the great state of California.

Not alone have these hills and canyons added to the monetary riches of the world, but they have furnished inspiration for a wealth of song and story.

Authors Found Inspiration

Here Brete Hart found his immortal Tuttletown and his Heathen Chinee, Bayard Taylor wrote of its beauty and its romance, Mark Twain from his cabin on Jackass Hill conceived the inimitable story of the Jumping Frog.

Although the mining camps of pioneer days have passed into history, men are still delving for gold in the Mother Lode, but the shaft and hoist has replaced the sluice box and hydraulic pipe, modern methods of extracting ore and the last word in machinery and milling now operate throughout the deepest gold mines of the world.

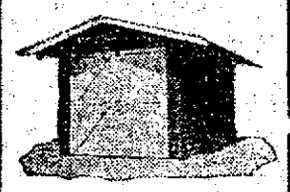
Three large hydro-electric plants add to the interest of trip along the Mother Lode Highway, from which five different highways lead over the Sierras or to the Big Trees, Murphy's Cave or to Yosemite Valley.

Association of Boosters

A Mother Lode Highway Association has been formed to give publicity to the advantages of the new road. W. J. Loring at the head of the movement has done splendid work and at the last meeting in Sonora assurances of hearty co-operation came from all parts of the state.

The association purposes to bring the financing of the Mother Lode Highway before the coming legislature asking for an appropriation or bond issue.

The completion of the road will be a fitting monument to the memory of the pioneer—a revelation and a joy to the motoring public.



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Modesto Starts Action Against Death Crossing

(By Bee Bureau)

MODESTO (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 29.—The city council has instructed the city clerk to write the state highway commission, and the directors of the Modesto Irrigation District, asking that some action be taken to remove the dangerous rise in the highway at the Hatch crossing, known as "Death Crossing" on the Crows Landing Road.

While this crossing is outside the jurisdiction of the city of Modesto, so many accidents have occurred there recently, the board decided to take action, and will request the irrigation district officials to place a siphon under the highway, and do away with the elevated culvert, which makes it impossible for the driver of an automobile to see the curve until he tops the rise caused by the culvert.

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MASSACHUSETTS SETS STYLE IN TAIL LIGHT LAW

Bay State Requires Rear Illumination To Light All License Numbers

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Massachusetts threatens to set a new style in tail lights, which is expected to spread throughout the country. In brief, it has ordered that after January 1 all rear signals used in the Bay State must really illuminate all the numbers of the license tag. In order to do this the new regulation specifies that the lamp and bracket to which the number plate is affixed shall be integral; that the numbers be legible at a distance of sixty feet and that the slot through which the rays of light shine on the numbers be made of glass.

Inasmuch as this radical order will affect the car manufacturers and cause them to change their lighting system to a certain extent, so far as Massachusetts is concerned, the matter has come to the attention of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, which has investigated the new law.

N. A. C. C. Not Greatly Opposed.

"We are not violently opposed to it," said Alfred Reeves, general manager of the N. A. C. C., to-day. "We have asked that we be given time so to arrange manufacturing plans that we can meet Massachusetts demands. Also we want the assurance that none of our manufacturers will be prevented from manufacturing the kind of a bracket demanded and not run foul of a patented article."

Advices from Boston state that Studebaker, Packard, Buick, Ford, Dodge Brothers and Overland have sent in lamps for approval.

Big Cost To Motorists.

This new law will cost Massachusetts motorists at least $500,000, it is figured, because few if any comply with the regulations. There will be no evasion tolerated, and Motor Vehicle Registrar Goodwin declares that after January 1st any motorist caught not using a lamp stamped as approved may be taken into court or Goodwin will revoke his license.

Before adopting the new regulations, which are shown elsewhere on this page, Goodwin sent inspectors out to make an investigation. They found that out of the first 182 electrically equipped cars there only was one whose rear numbers were visible sixty feet away. In other words, ninety-nine per cent of the vehicles were not obeying the law. On ninety-seven of this number the slot through which the light plays was too small to give enough visibility; on 112 the celluloid over the opening was defective and twelve had no celluloid. There were 176 with the light not located properly. Briefly, 97 per cent were not located properly, 68 per cent had defective celluloid and 53 per cent had too small openings.

NEWS OF THE AUTO WORLD

The Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture states that there are enough motor vehicles in the United States to take the entire population for a ride at one time.

How climate affects the highway working season is shown by the fact that grading can be done on 100 days of the year in western Oregon, 110 in Maine, 260 in Maryland, and 300 in several of the southern states.

Federal-aid roads placed under construction in September amounted to 1,189 miles.

At the beginning of 1922 there were 4.2 motor vehicles for each mile of road in the United States.

From 19 to 35 cents per hour is the range of wages for common labor on federal-aid roads east of the Rocky Mountains, with a few exceptions, where as high as 42 cents is paid.

One hundred and twenty vehicles a minute was the rate at which motor vehicles passed an observing station on a trunk-line highway in Massachusetts, according to the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture. This rate was kept up from noon to 10 p. m.

Recently a tourist in passing through four states was required to buy four different sets of lenses in order that his headlights would comply with state laws. More uniformity in highway regulation is needed.

Road illumination is one of the many desirable things that eventually will be part and parcel of every stretch of improved country highway. To be sure, both installation and upkeep would be expensive. It is more expensive to sacrifice the lives of the populace.

Courts variously have set values ranging from $400 to $5,000 on the life of a man in relation to his county or city. The United States government figured a man's life was worth $10,000, at least, to those bereft of his presence by a German bullet. It doesn't take much figuring to determine how cheap real road illumination is compared with lives saved thereby.

One is nonplused when considering the enormous number of lights it would be necessary to set up to make the country's roads really safe. One is aghast when considering the huge number of lives lost yearly because the motorist couldn't see the road clearly. The lives lost are gone forever, but will not result in saving others. The deficit is permanent.

The famous argue that national drives against carelessness will take care of the death rate from accidents. It is urged, among other things, that pedestrians walk on the left of the road in order to see approaching vehicles. Some people do so already. Those who do not are too careless or ignorant to learn from the advice of others.

It is proposed that walks be built along country highways to lure the pedestrian from the traffic line. That's a fair idea. But it doesn't help the automobile driver—with his dimmed or glaring lights—to see the road. Such a system would be more expensive than road illumination and would not guard against careless persons who would not use the paths provided.

Road illumination would at once solve the problems of glaring lights, dimmed lights, "jay-walking" pedestrians, passing vehicles, repair obstructions, bad ruts, holes and ridges—in fact, would approach the ideal.

A tendency to use smaller wheels is manifest, and incidentally the question has been raised whether such a development will not lead toward an increase in accidents caused by skidding. Of course it is obvious that the closer to the ground the center of gravity of a car may be the greater the "skidding" force when rounding a turn, while the higher the center of gravity, the greater the "overturning" force. A popular illustration is the experience of the Eastern railroad which, in adopting electric locomotives, built them low, for stability, with the result that serious accidents developed from spreading rails. A railroad engineer, who is also an automobile engineer of some note, however, points out that in the case mentioned the rails spread because the entire "skidding" force was transmitted through the flanges of the outer wheels to the outer rail. With an automobile, on the other hand, resistance is distributed between both rear wheels. For this reason he believes the two cases are by no means parallel, but that the lower center of gravity is an unalloyed advantage.

When going down very steep hills, shut off the switch and use the second gear as a brake. This not only adds to the safety of the passengers, but also tends to cool off the motor.

Earl Cooper's Speedway Smile

—Photo by King Studio.

The above photo shows Earl Cooper, just after he won the famous Fresno race a year ago, and Alfred Nielson, his mechanic, now a Fresnan.

World's Greatest Speed Kings Race To-morrow

THE eyes of the automobile world are turned toward Beverly Hills to-omrrow, where twenty of the world's fastest race drivers will compete in the closing speedway classic of 1922. Pitted against each other are Jimmy Murphy, champion of 1922; Tommy Milton, champion of 1921, and the old-time favorite, Earl Cooper, champion of a half decade ago, and other kings of the roaring road.

Among the youngsters entered there are such stars as Benny Hill, winner of the last Fresno classic; Harry Hartz, the boy cyclone, and Peter de Paolo, the baby of the speed sport. And the veterans such as Ralph De Palma, Art Klein, Eddie Hearne, Frank Elliott and Joe Thomas, will be out to beat Murphy and Milton in the final speed clash of the 1922 season.

Durant's Crack Team

R. C. Durant, millionaire sportsman and well-known motor car manufacturer, has returned to the speedway for the coming race, and, in addition to driving his own car, has entered a team of five Durant specials to be piloted by Jimmy Murphy, Eddie Hearne, Art Klein, Earl Cooper and himself. Cooper is a veteran who is returning to the speed trail for the coming event after an absence of several seasons. Cooper's last appearance in Southern California was in the last Santa Monica road race, held in 1919.

Leon Duray is to drive a Duesenberg special, and also on Duesenbergs will be Ralph De Palma, Jerry Wonderlich, Joe Thomas, Peter De Paolo and Wade Morton. Morton is to be mounted on the new Duesenberg, which has just arrived from the factory by express.

Fred Wagner Starter

The speedway management announced that Frank Garbutt has been selected to referee the coming classic, while Fred J. Wagner, the veteran starter, is to officiate in his usual capacity.

Ordinarily automobile races are supposed to be simply a question of who has the fastest car and who can step on a foot throttle with the greatest pressure per square inch. To-morrow afternoon, however, when the annual 250-mile Thanksgiving Day race around the Beverly Hills Speedway gets under way, it's going to be just as much a question of brains as of hoof poundage.

Psycho-analysis, auto-suggestion, new thought and other brain-tensing items are to play a heavy part when the twenty champions of speed get the starting flag for the long grind.

For now that preliminary spins for the last big motor race of the 1922 season have been completed, it suddenly appears that quite a number of the headline drivers have cars tearing off just about the same number of miles per hour. Having equal speed, it naturally follows that the pilot using the old gray matter the hardest will wind up with the cash, glory and plaudits of the multitude.

Brain Teasers

Already around the Beverly Hills track one hears the champions discussing whether it would be better to take the lead at the start and stay there or hang back and come in strong at the finish. Even the intrepid Durant quintet is wondering whether it ought to send one pilot out in front to lead the rest of the boys to ruination via the exploding tire route. Brains are being worked unmercifully and outfoxing and outguessing the other guy seems to be the order of events.

To date not a single driver has announced the plans of his campaign, but it is a settled cinch that every one of 'em has some scheme up his sleeve for twisting himself into first money at the finish.

Terrific Speed Trials

Terrific speed has marked the early trials of the go-fasts and it is a foregone conclusion that standing records for the 250-mile dash will be scrapped. But with this speed comes the certainty that every driver in the race will have to go into the pits more than once for tire changes. Tommy Milton leads to date with better than 120 miles per hour to his credit for a complete lap of the big oval. But no car can stand anywhere near this gait without hesitating in the pits for new rubber.

So it sums itself up into this: the man who figures his race, his pit stops, his speed and his opponents closest will drag down the purse.

Young Drivers

Several blushing, bashful young men who have never presented themselves attached to cars before in Southern California will take a whirl in the Beverly tureen on Turkey Day. Each one is modest enough to admit that he has aspirations on the first prize, a large juicy hunk of the $25,000 which the leaders will divide.

Four of these are equines of the darkest hue. Lou Wilson on Art Klein's Frontenac, Benny Dunn and Louis Hansen of San Francisco on Deusenberg-motored De Lages and Wade Morton on the Deusie that has been startling Indianapolis with its fast spins, are absolute strangers to these parts.

What they can do is a deep secret, but it will be mighty interesting watching them do it. If one of them figures, it won't be the first time the neigh of the dark horse has been heard abroad in the land.

Then there is Leon Duray, who has a convincing record and is one of the most famous of the French drivers. He is not a dark horse by any means and should be right up among the leaders.

Race-Kings Who Will Be In Turkey Day Classic

Following is the official list of entrants in the Thanksgiving speedway race on the Beverly Hills course:

No.	Driver	Mechanic	Make of Car
1	Jimmy Murphy	Ernie Olsen	Durant Special
2	Unnamed	Unnamed	Frontenac Special
3	Bennett Hill	R. L. Cairns	McDonald Special
4	Eddie Hearne	C. V. Pickup	Durant Special
5	Earl E. Cooper	R. McDonald	Durant Special
6	Art Klein	John Bresnahan	Durant Special
7	R. C. Durant	Fred Comer	Durant Special
8	Tommy Milton	George Stiehl	Leach Special
9	Frank Elliott	Chester Lindsay	Leach Special
10	Joe Thomas	Wesley Brown	Duesenberg Special
11	L. Hansen, Jr.	Bert Trousiot, Jr.	De Lage Duesenberg Spl.
12	Harry Hartz	Harlan Fengler	Hartz Special
14	Al Melcher	Earl Haskell	Melcher Special
15	Peter de Paolo	Unnamed	Duesenberg Special
16	Leon Duray	Pearl Maine	Diatcel Duesenberg Special
17	H. McKee	Hugh Cutler	Shokchok Duesenberg Spl.
18	Ralph de Palma	Jean Marconre	Duesenberg Special
20	Bobby Dunn	Ray Ogle	De Lage Special
21	Wade Morton	Unnamed	Duesenberg Special
24	J. Wonderlich	John de Paolo	Duesenberg Special

Referee—Frank A. Garbutt. Starter—Fred J. Wagner.

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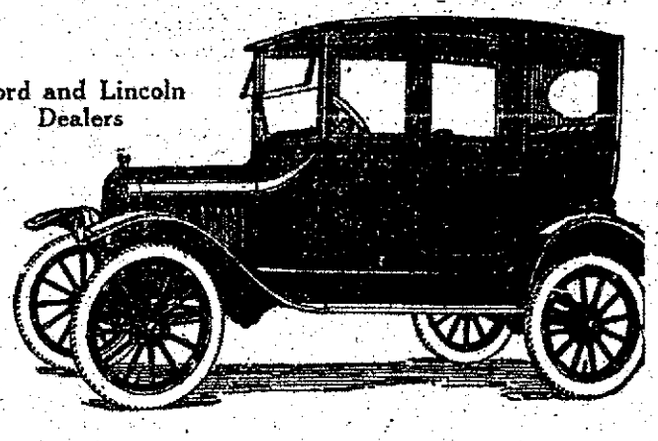

CAMPAIGN FOR MOTHER LODE ROAD FUND ON

Estimate Of Cost Being Compiled By State Engineers

SONORA, Nov. 29.—That California owes the Mother Lode counties a highway and that if the Mother Load Highway Association continues in its fight for recognition of the road it will win an appropriation was the declaration made by Clarence Jarvis, member of the state board of control, at a meeting here of 200 residents of Placer, El Dorado, Amador, Calaveras and Tuolumne Counties in behalf of the project.

Announcement was also made at the meeting that estimates of cost of the construction of the highway soon will be completed by state highway commission engineers.

Much Gold Produced

Jarvis said that the gold produced in these five counties amounted to more than $765,000,000. He declared scientists have proven that still more than $2,000,000,000 in wealth is to be extracted from the gold mines in the five Mother Lode counties.

"A highway in return for such a contribution is small payment," he said.

Messages were received from Governor William D. Stephens and Governor-elect Friend W. Richardson pledging their support to the highway.

Richardson's Message

Richardson's message was:

"To the Mother Lode counties:

"I stand as a unit with the Mother Lode counties in furthering the interest of their much-deserved project—a highway connecting the famous, historic gold-producing counties with the outside world. True—the Mother Lode counties took a prominent part in building our great state, now let the state build the Mother Lode highway."

Among the speakers were John F. Davis of San Francisco, Senator Lewis L. Dennett of Modesto, Senator E. G. Stevenot of Calaveras County, ex-Senator J. B. Curtin, T. H. Goff of Placer County, and H. E. Dillinger of El Dorado County.

Here, in part, is a description by Jarvis of the proposed highway:

A bill creating "The Mother Lode Highway" was passed by the last legislature, but it carried no appropriation. Since the bill has been signed the State Highway Commission has made a complete survey of the route and they will soon have an estimate of the cost.

The route begins at Auburn, Placer County, and ends at Sonora, Tuolumne County, passing through El Dorado, Amador and Calaveras along the Mother Lode or early day Pioneer Gold Trail. On this trail there has been produced since gold was discovered at Coloma, El Dorado County, $765,000,000.

SUGGESTIONS FOR STARTING

The best way to start a motor, when the electric starting system refuses to work and the crank has been left in the garage, is to jack up one of the rear wheels and turn it by hand with the clutch in high gear engaged. The spark should be retarded and only a small throttle opening allowed. Before removing the jack, the gears should be shifted to neutral again.

A CLEANING SOLVENT

Use gasoline in place of kerosene for all cleaning purposes, including washing of bearings, cleaning brakes, and running boards. Gasoline evaporates directly after completing the job. Gasoline, however, should not be used for external cleaning of the engine, and kerosene that is used for this purpose should only be applied when the power plant is cold.

Keep the engine clean. Oil gathers dust which works into the working parts and helps wear them out.

ENGAGEMENT OF CLUTCH

To let the clutch in. It is not necessary to race the engine. As the clutch is engaged, the throttle should be opened just enough to prevent the engine from losing any speed. By "meeting the clutch with throttle" it is possible to have the engine maintain practically a constant speed while the clutch is being let in.

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Oregon has done wonderful work in repaving the Pacific Highway from the Oregon-California boarder clear through to Portland.

The roads are perfect in California, although there are a few detours above Redding. These will be eliminated in the near future and you can drive through to the North Winter or Summer.

Take Chains

Necessarily, you should take along a pair of chains if you go at this time of the year, but you may never need them. There are some muddy spots, but they dry quickly with a few hours' sun.

More motorists traveled over the Pacific Highway this year than ever before in the history of the road. There were so many cars with California licenses in Oregon all summer long that no one paid any attention to them, and there were hundreds of Oregon cars in this state.

It seemed that every car owner in the North wanted to come to California and every one in this state who wanted new fields to conquer, went to Oregon. There is much to be seen in the Northern state and the 1923 season will see greater travel than this year.

Mere Jaunt Now

The trip to Portland is a mere jaunt nowadays. The roads are in good shape all the way through, and will be better than over when the touring season opens next Spring. The trip can be made in a few days of easy travelling and there is much to be seen there.

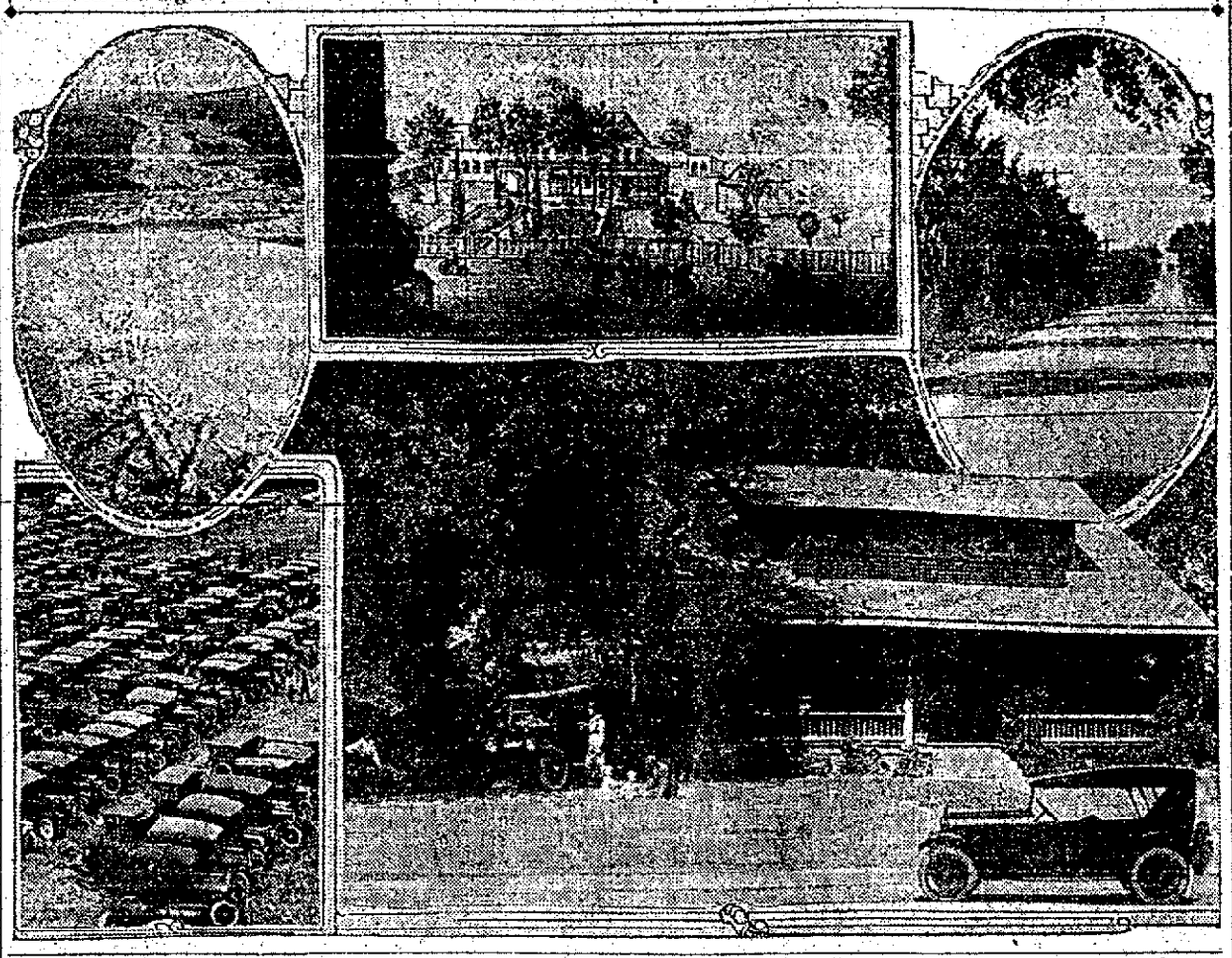
Oregon people claim that the scenery in their state rivals that of California, and try and prove it to everyone that crosses the border into the Northern state.

Next year the roads on the east side of the Cascades will be in better condition than ever. This trip offers the hardy driver a wonderful opportunity to see the mountains of the West. He will be able, when the snows melt next Summer, to drive along the backbone of the Sierra into Oregon, visit Crater Lake, and then go north on the east side of the Cascades to The Dalles and then to Portland.

STOP THE NOISES

To eliminate rattles, squeaks and mysterious knocks, it is absolutely necessary that all nuts on a new car be taken up after 500 miles of driving, and again after 1,000 miles and once a season from then on.

THE PICTURES below graphically show what the automobile has done for the farmer. First, and most important of all, it has given the rancher good roads. At the left above is the kind of road that used to prevail and at the right is a modern paved highway. In the center, above, is a farmhouse of the early days when twenty miles was a journey. The automobile and the resultant good roads has brought about better homes and better travelling facilities for the young folk to schools and higher education. At left, below, is shown a small part of the cars driven to the state farm school at Davis.



San Joaquin Valley Sales Record

Abbreviations—T. touring car; R., roadster; L. limousine; S., sedan; Tr., truck; D., delivery; Co., coupe.

The following is a list of new automobiles sold in the San Joaquin for the past week:

FRESNO CITY

Dr. T. Hayashi & Dr. A. Amano, 725 E. St., Buick T.
Antone E. Miguel, Rt. H, Box 154, Buick T.
G. Lenciont, Villa De Italia Cafe, Buick T.
S. E. Whiting, 618 Mattei Bldg., Cad Victory.
J. E. Langworthy, Brix Apts., 206 Apt. Chalm. Co.
E. M. Fornet 700 Thorne, Chev. T.
Mrs. Arch Kaplan, 515½ N St., Durant Sedan.
C. H. Willey, 391 Dayton Av., Ford T.
W. E. Dodge, 1820 Tuolumne St., Ford T.
J. H. Delker, Rt K, Ford Tr.
T. Yoshiara, Rt. 1, Box 35a, Jewett touring.
Chas W. Miller, 803 Jay St., Max. Sed.
V. G. Henderson, 2913 Thomas Av., Max. Spt.
Francisco Rutagimes & Juan Morales, 1831 Kern, Max. Tr.
Fresno Motor Bus Co., 3567 Butler Av., Indiana Tr.
John F. Bubeck, 705 Poplar Av., Olds. touring.
M. K. Sadolan, Rt. J, Box 477, Over. Sedan.
K. W. Mause, 3206 Butler Av., Over. touring.
Kishichi Tamaki, Rt. E, Box 99, Star touring.
F. G. Boutain, 2831 Madison, Stude. cpe.
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Buick R.
Jos Henry, 315 Park Av., Buick R.
Republic Supply Co., 145 Bdway, Buick T.
Mrs. Clara Lewis, 2506 White Av., Buick T.
G. Jay Kapriellan, Rt. C, Box 256, Buick T.
H. P. Lester, 1370 Del Mar, Buick T.
M. S. Alemian, 2443 Ventura Av., Buick T.
Conrad Bopp, Rt. 1, Box 188, Chalm. touring.
Mrs. A. L. Weldon, Rt. 1, Box 77, Chev. T. G.
S. E. Shipley, 2135 Mono Av., Chev. T.
F. M. Fulstone, 231 Webster St., Dodge Co.
Mrs. Earl Hughes, 743 So 4th St., Dodge Sed.
Ed. Leebon, Rt. B, Box 37, Ford Co.
Walter Richardson, 1929 Los Angeles St., Ford Co.
Walter S. Adams, 319 Abby St., Ford coupe.
C. Rapolla, 843 Tulare, Ford Co.
J. H. Kunkle, 1418 North Van Ness Av., Ford Co.
H. M. Mills, 3255 Huntington Blvd., Ford Co.
Florence W. Burton, 505 Bank of Italy Bldg., Ford Co.
John C. Wolf, Rt. E, Box 101, Ford R.
E. M. Estes, 2043 Sarah, Ford T.
Hans P. Nelsen, Rt. E, Box 317, Fresno, Ford T.
Sanderson Bros, 1146-48 Bdway, Ford truck.
Valley Foundry & Machine Wks, 719 H St., Ford 2T.
O. G. Cervell, 1141 G St., Hud. Spd.
Albers Bros. Milling Co., Hup. T.
Margaret Hinchliffe 2125 Ventura Av., Jewett T.
J. R. Hill Co., 1648 H St., Mack Trk.
E. L. Freeman, Rt. J, Box 12, Over. R.
H. T. Taira, 967 F St., Over. Sed.
E. D. Edwards, 903 Harrison St., Star touring.
Jacob Hansen, 1618 Trinity St., Star touring.
Aetna Ins. Co., 221 Cory Bldg., Stude Roadster.
Henry E. Walrond, Rt. B, Box 174, Buick T.
Marie Stolker, 1750 Bdway, Buick T.
Albert Betar, 625 A St., Buick T.
Frank Kunis, 1345 N St., Buick T.
L. R. Stubblefield, 605 Safford, Buick touring.
Calif. Fruit Exch., 401 Mason Bldg., Buick T.
G. R. Shipp, 305 Clark St., Buick T.
Jack Schiedewitz, 532 G St., Chev. T. G.
Leslie McFarling, 1220 O St., Chev. T.
Mrs. Lucy L. Woods, 2558 Olive St., Dodge Sed.
County of Fresno, Court House, Dodge touring.
Louis Rontell, Rt. H, Box 153, Ford coupe.
W. W. Ellis, 2420 Mariposa St., Ford coupe.
K. Kobashi, Rt. F, Box 255, Ford T.
W. R. Washburn, 1437 Jay St., Ford coupe.
Dick Crawford, 1119 J St., Ford Co.
Geo. D. Sawyers, 2227 El Monte Av., Ford Co.
Mary W. Rieman, Rt. J, Box 194A, Ford Co.
Irwin Alexander, 2421 Mono, Ford Co.
Fresno Auto Wrecking Co., Ford R.
Ralph F. Burnight, Rt. F, Box 221, Ford Sed.
E. L. Silne, 1011 F St., Ford Tr.
B. M. Hague, 125 San Pablo Av., Ford truck.
Anton Repanich, Rt. A, Box 206, Ford truck.
Mrs. M. K. Sherrod, 411 Echo Av., Fran. T.
John H. Hertford, 1445 Van Ness Av., Hup. T.
Maude Houseman, 1370 Glenn Av., Hup T.
San Joaquin Lt. & Pr. Corp., 1801 Tulare, Mack Tr.
W. F. Barr, 161 Blackstone Av., Max. coupe.
John P. Harrison, Rt. C, Box 293, Max. roadster.
P. M. Rasmussen, 1102 Del Mar Av., Max. R.
San Joaquin Lt. & Pr. Corp. 1801 Tulare, Morel. Tr.
Nels N. Nelson, 1567 Roosevelt Av., Nash Co.
E. B. Smith, 2054 Ventura Av., Peerl. touring.
Paul Waltmam, 2115 McKenzie Av., Star T.
J. M. George, Rt. J, Box 100B, Star touring.
J. E. Lynes, 621 Van Ness Av., Stud. touring.
John Manderosian, Rt. C, Box 363, Stutz R.
Jersey Farms Dairy Co., Ward Elec. truck.
San Joaquin Lt. & Pr. Corp. 1801 Tulare, White Tr.
Emil E. Rohr, 702 R St., Willys-Knt. roadster.
H. Markowitz, c/o San Joaquin Grocery Co., Willy-Knit, Sed.
R. L. Werner, 1265 Poplar, Wills St. Claire R.

FRESNO COUNTY

M. P. Bell, Box G, Oilfields, Chev. T.
E. S. Bender, Orange Cove, Chalm. T.
Sidney Crane, Reedley, Dodge T.
Joseph Shatzer, 849 West Ave., Reedley, Ford T.
Andrew Banta, Rt. B, Box 154, Reedley, Ford T.
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Peter Spooner, Rt. A, Box 146-A, Sanger, Chevrolet T.
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Armor Plate

The entire body is built of armor plate tested and guaranteed to be proof against the highest caliber pistol or rifle. The windows, windshield and sidewings that protect the front or drivers compartment are made of the recently invented bullet proof glass.

The body is divided into two compartments: a rear compartment in which a fireproof, steel armored safe has been built, and the front or driver's compartment. The rear compartment is spacious, light and airy. The safe is in the position ordinarily occupied by the rear seat. A bucket seat in front of this has been built for the messenger. The front compartment is similar to that of any town car or limousine with the exception that it is armored.

There is only one entrance to the rear compartment and this is fitted with a triple lock. When closed and locked with an armored messenger inside it would take nothing less than a battery of artillery to break it open. The entire compartment, floor, sides and roof are armor plate and the windows are of bullet-proof glass. Loop holes, masked from the outside and protected from the inside by sliding pieces or armor plate, provide the messenger with holes from which he can shoot in any direction.

Control In Back Seat

Should anything happen to the driver while the car is in motion or at any other time the messenger in the rear compartment has complete control of the car through secret switches. A very loud police siren, controlled by a secret switch and secretly powered, provides additional protection by giving an alarm that may be be heard many blocks distant.

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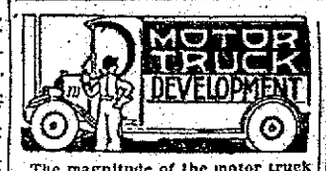

The magnitude of the motor truck industry is little understood by the average person, due principally to the large number of automobiles now found on the highways.

"Since 1913 and up through the present year the motor truck industry shows a growth of 1540 per cent as compared with a total of 715 per cent for the automobile industry."

The truck industry is just beginning to hit its stride, and in the next decade surprising things may be expected. Figures just made available show that in 1913 there were 64,000 motor trucks registered in this country; in 1914 there were 85,000; in 1915, 140,000; in 1916, 198,000; in 1917, 289,000; in 1918, 433,000; in 1919, 749,000; in 1920, 975,000, and in 1921 1,050,000.

"These figures show that it was not until late in 1917 and during the start of 1918 that the motor truck became a vital factor in the business life of the country.

"Passenger car registration, Pulcher points out, increased from 1917 to 1921 a total of 96 per cent, while during the same year truck registration grew from a small total to an increase of 263 per cent, as compared with the automobiles.

These figures show, "that during the last four years the number of trucks in daily use throughout the country has increased nearly three times as fast as in the case of passenger cars, in spite of the fact that during eighteen months of this period the worst business depression of the decade was encountered."

Varnish will not stick to the surface of a car that has been waxed.

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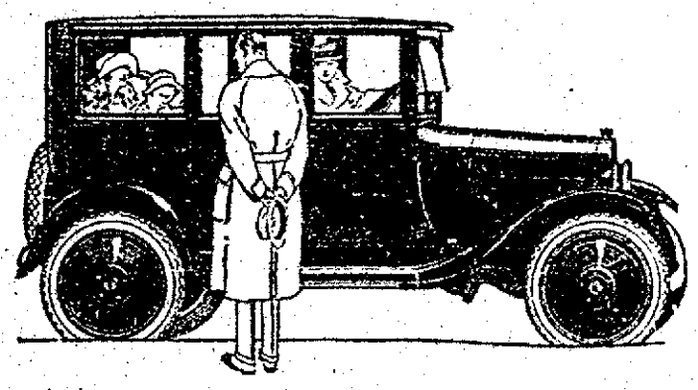


Road Will Be Completed During Summer Of 1923

(By Bee Bureau)

NEWMAN (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 29.—California motorists in the not distant future will enjoy a novelty in the way of a 150-mile paved highway that has received so little publicity that but few know of the interesting San Joaquin Valley paving project, linking towns on the west side of the valley in four counties.

From Tracy, San Joaquin County, to Fresno, a new road traversing San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Merced and Fresno counties has been partly paved this year and will be completed some during the Summer of 1923. The highway connects with the scenic Pacheco Pass lateral, known also as the Yosemite-to-the-sea highway, at a point between Gustine and Los Banos. This latter route is under construction, the pass being closed to traffic.

Clyde H. Pitney

The procedure necessary to obtain this much-needed road may be of interest, especially to communities isolated by a lack of good roads. In June, 1921, the chamber of commerce at Gustine called a meeting for the purpose of discussing highways. Every town on the west side of the valley was invited and most of them sent delegates. An organization was formed then to work for a through paved road on the west side of the valley and C. R. Perrier of Gustine was chosen president and Clyde Pitney of Newman, secretary. Perrier is an attorney and Pitney is a full time chamber of commerce secretary.

A publicity campaign began, together with visits to boards of supervisors in the four counties, the State Highway Association, merchants' associations and progressive clubs in order to gain support. Even Governor Stephens was prevailed upon to travel over the worst part of the unpaved roads between Los Banos and Gustine.

State Support Fails

Finally the matter of securing financial aid from the state was actively taken up and the first discouragement of the campaign resulted, for it was learned that while the legislature had created a means of road building under the 1915 act, they had failed to appropriate funds.

It became necessary then to drop the idea of one big paving unit and to form road improvement districts in each county. This has been successfully accomplished, engineers appointed and preliminary road survey work completed.

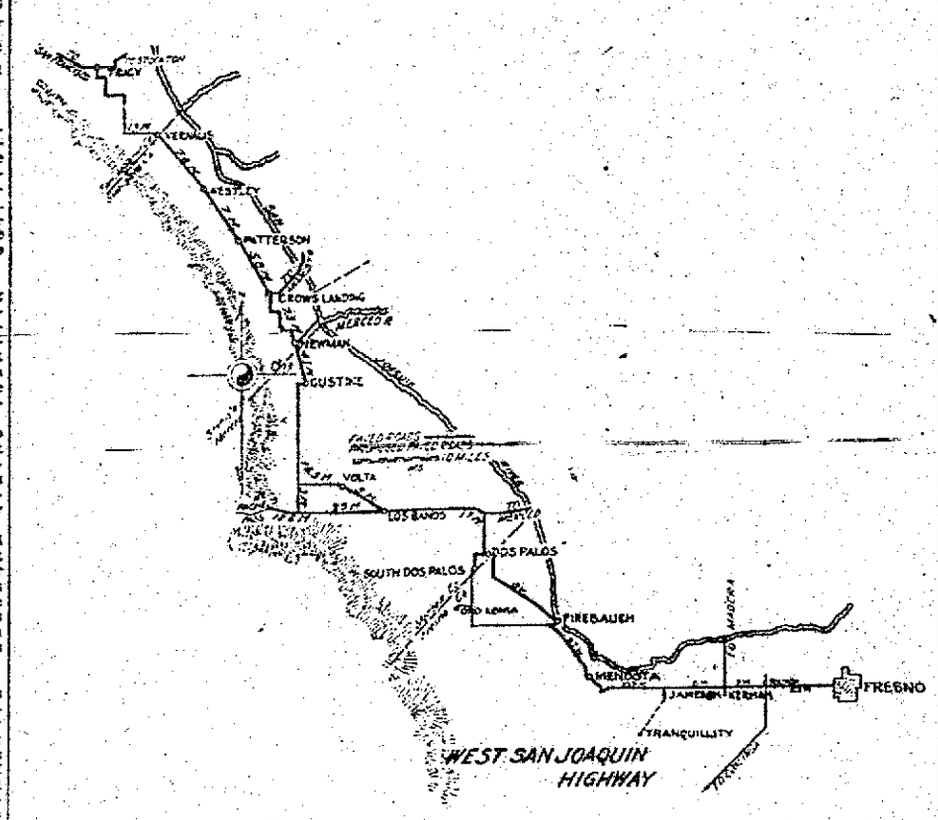
Fresno County has completed thirty-eight miles from a point at the end of the concrete paving near Kerman to the Merced line at Dos Palos. Newman has paved one mile to the highway where it goes through town and San Joaquin County has completed four miles south of Tracy.

Continue In Spring

As soon as the Winter rains cease work will be started simultaneously in each county and early in the Summer a most interesting country will be open to tourists and homeseekers. Sub-dividing of large tracts has already started and it is evident that west side isolation will soon be but a memory.

WEST SIDE HIGHWAY PROGRESSES

The proposed new route from Fresno to Tracy via the West Side is pictured on the map below. The road will be a great boon to the districts through which it passes and four counties, Fresno, Stanislaus, San Joaquin and Merced will be served.



EFFICIENCY AND SAFETY SLOGAN OF THE FUTURE

Highway Educational Board Stresses Need Of Training In Schools

WASHINGTON (D. C.), Nov. 29.—Efficiency and safety must be the slogan of the motorist of the future.

This fact was emphasized at the conference of the highway educational board here late in October, in which motorists of the country were represented.

Resolutions approved by the conference stress the need for training in schools and colleges which will make for better regulation and segregation of highway traffic, and more safety for life and limb. A study of the sociological aspects of highway transportation, in the interest of the farm population also was presented in resolutions and given approval.

Working with a unified traffic code as its objective the highway education board will call attention to the need for study of traffic administration, the careful registration of vehicles, and the education of both drivers and the general public.

To this end the student in engineering schools will be taught the design of highway and rolling stock, the engineering features of highways and streets, and the important part which is played by parking spaces, safety zones, cross walks, street intersections, etc. The best types of signs, traffic devices for the guidance of pedestrians and drivers and vehicle and traffic lights will be studied looking to the standardization of same.

Farm Population

The farm population, it is pointed out, should be brought in closer touch for social and economic purposes with trade, professional service, hospitals, churches, schools and amusements.

On the subject of the marking of country highways the resolutions adopted say in part:

Since more than 30,000,000 people live on country roads, other than the main truck line highways, it is obvious that any general program of road building and road marking should have this important element continually in mind. * * * *

If the farm element is given the proper incentive, it will more cheerfully and more generally support a road building program. This will make bond issues much easier to float. Among the many things which could possibly be done to stimulate the interest of the farming class, none would be of greater value than to provide him with a definite house number. * * * * He could get parcels delivered to him without difficulty, could receive calls more frequently and in greater number from the city dweller, and in turn could travel to better advantage himself in calling on people in either nearby cities or country.

Other Subjects

Other subjects treated in the resolution on the Sociological Aspect of Highway Transportation are as follows:

Need for research, planning highways according to future needs, training of highway engineers, appeal to all persons engaged in highway construction, national growth and stability, descentralization of city homes, women and highways, rearrangement of village life, and study of neighborhood life.

Other committees which submitted resolutions, all of which were adopted, and the chairman of each committee, were as follows:

Required and Electric Undergraduate Subjects in Highway Engineering, Professor H. Walter Leavitt, chairman.

Required and Elective Undergraduate Subjects for Highway Transportation Business and Highway Engineering Positions, Professor I. M. McIntyre, chairman.

Subject Matter of Basic Required Under-graduate Courses in Highway Engineering, Professor L. E. Conrad, chairman.

Subject Matter of Basic Undergraduate Course in Highway Transport, Professor C. B. Breed, chairman.

Subject Matter of Under-graduate Course in Highway Engineering Theory and Design, Professor C. C. Wiley, chairman.

Subject Matter of Under-graduate Course in Highway Engineering Laboratory, Professor C. A. Baughman.

Graduate Work in Highway Engineering and Highway Transport, Professor H. C. Smith, chairman.

American Dealers Are Studying Possibilities Of Mexican Market

MONTEREY (Mexico), Nov. 29.—What effect the placing of a 10 per cent ad valorem duty upon all imported automobiles may have upon the sale of cars in this country remains to be seen. The new duty was fixed by decree of President Alvaro Obregon and came wholly unexpected to dealers, many of whom found themselves with depleted stocks.

During the last several months there has been quite a revival in the demand for automobiles of American manufacture, especially for the medium priced cars. Dealers made many sales and this kept their stocks low. The 10 per cent ad valorem duty, which must now be paid on all cars will be added to the retail sale price, it is stated.

Until recently the sales and use of automobiles in Mexico were confined almost entirely to the larger cities, particularly Mexico City, Monterey, Chihuahua, Guadalajara, Tampico, Torreon and a few others. This was due to two reasons: One, the danger which one met with of being held up by brigands in the smaller communities and rural districts and, second, the lack of passable highways.

The country has been practically rid of bandits during the vigorous administration of President Alvaro Obregon, although hold-ups continue to occur occasionally in some remote sections; at any rate, travel overland is now considered to be safer than at any time since the overthrow of President Pontirio Diaz, nearly twelve years ago.

Building Roads

The Obregon government is giving much attention to the construction and improvement of public roads. The program for such improvements is extensive, but the lack of money is hampering its fulfillment. Much has been done during the last twelve months in the matter of improving the streets and surburban roads of Mexico City, and this has stimulated the sale of automobiles in the capital. It is now possible to take automobile journeys of considerable distance out of Mexico City over paved or hard-surfaced highways. Such resorts as Cuernavaca, Shapala, Arizaba, as well as towns which are situated in the federal district, are now easily reached over good roads.

In Monterey the contract was let recently for paving many streets, at a total cost of $1,500,000 United States money. When the revolutionary period began the streets of Guadalajara, the second largest city in Mexico, had just been paved and were in perfect condition.

Long neglect has caused many of these former perfectly paved streets to be badly in need of repair. Steps to place them in good condition have been taken, and with the finishing of the work it is expected the demand for automobiles there will show a material increase. In Tampico, the large American colony created and kept up a good demand for automobiles all through the long series of revolutionary disturbances. It is stated that there are more automobiles and motor trucks in use in Tampico region than any other part of Mexico.

Trade Expansion

There has been a general expansion of automobile trade facilities in this country during the last several months. Practically every make of automobile in the United States is now represented in the larger cities. Many new garages and accessory houses have been established. It is found that Mexicans make splendid automobile mechanics with comparative little training. In many instances, however, the larger automobile dealers and repair concerns here have sent Mexicans to factories in the United States for training. The garages and repair shops are gradually being equipped with these expert and trained mechanics and they are turning out work equal to the best that is to be obtained anywhere, it is asserted.

Legitimate automobile dealers all over Mexico are complaining of the competition which they have to contend with in the matter of stolen cars, most of which are run surreptitiously into Mexico from the other side of the border. This nefarious trade has attained gigantic proportions and is said to be on the increase instead of diminishing.

It is alleged that every other automobile in use in Northern Mexico was stolen in the United States. That it is an organized and capitalized business many automobile dealers of this country believe. There are long stretches of the Rio Grande which are absolutely unprotected in the matter of customs inspectors or other officers and it is a very easy matter for stolen cars to be brought across the international boundary stream in time of low water, it is pointed out.

Few Motorists Watch Oil System

How many times does the average motorist use an oil can on his car?

How often does he look at his grease cups?

How often does he look to see how the grease in the differential is?

Does he know how much oil to carry in the crank case?

These are just a few of the questions asked the other day in discussing the lack of interest that the average motorist takes in the lubrication problems of his car.

Its quite surprising to know the great amount of lubrication ignorance that exists. This is especially perplexing when one realizes that the lubrication of an automobile is the most essential part of a car.

Many motorists, however, are coming to realize this. When they do they generally hunt up a reliable lubrication expert and let him take care of the needs of their cars. This doesn't cost much money and in truth saves money in the long run.

Many Motorists Blocked By Snow

CARSON CITY (Nev.), Nov. 29.—Several automobiles are stalled in the snow near Lake Tahoe, according to advices received in Carson City. Many of the drivers attempted to get over the mountains despite warnings by local motorists and garage men.

There is fifteen inches of snow between Carson City and Glenbrook, with the roads generally in bad shape.

Women Drivers In United States

There are approximately 1,000 women engaged as chauffeurs in the United States.

Traffic Violators Sent To School

A special school is held by the city police of Sioux City, Iowa, for traffic violators. The offenders are fined $3 each and then placed in a class in which they spend two hours rehearsing a long list of published traffic rules.

Length Of Working Season Big Factor In Road Work

The length of the working season is a most important element in road construction and one in which there is considerable variation, according to the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture, which has collected data from all of the states.

Deducting Sundays, only there are 313 working days in the year and Alabama, Mississippi and New Mexico report that grading is possible on 390 of them. Neighboring states report as follows: Florida, 265; Louisiana, 260, and Texas, 275. Contrasted with these are Maine, with 110; New York, 150; Wisconsin, 153, and Western Oregon, 100. In fourteen states grading will probably be impractical after the middle of November, and in some of them at an earlier date.

Gravel surfacing can be placed in most of the states on from 120 to 200 working days, although ten of them report a greater number.

In twenty-six states concrete surfacing can be placed on from 100 to 150 days, and in sixteen states on from 150 to 200 days. In twenty-eight states the season is generally over by November 1.

OIL AND GREASE

Grease should never be used for commutator or timer lubrication. Cylinder oil is the proper lubricant for these parts, and should be used only sparingly. This is applied to all commutators or ignition distributors. When grease is used here it frequently serves to prevent the commutator arm from making contact.

Highway Bulletin

SACRAMENTO BEE BUREAU, Nov. 29.—This bulletin of the California Highway Commission states the condition of roads only where work is under way or where the condition of the roads is abnormal. The following information was released to-day.

COAST ROUTE

Open from San Diego to Eureka. Six miles north of Cummings steam shovel and team outfit at work. Caution required in passing this work.

Two miles north of Hopland steam shovel at work. Caution required in passing.

McDonald To The Sea—Road closed by large slide near mouth of Navarro River. Traffic must go over Navarro Ridge. Work being rushed to clear slide. Road may be open by December 5, 1922.

Santa Rosa To Belmont—State highway under contract construction and closed from Rincon Valley Creek to Rincon School. Through traffic is being routed from Santa Rosa over state highway to Rincon Valley Creek; thence turn north over county road, an approximate distance of two miles; thence east one mile, then south one and one half miles to state highway; thence over state highway to Sonoma.

Ignacio To Sonoma And Napa County Line—State highway under contract construction and closed from the junction of the Black Point cut off with that of state highway, approximately three-tenths of a mile north of Ignacio, to Schellville. Through traffic to Sonoma and points east is now turned off state highway at Petaluma; thence over county road.

Alto To Belvedere and Tiburon—State highway under contract construction. Traffic is being routed over old county road and portions of new highway as work progresses.

Sunnyvale — One And One-half Miles North To One And One-half Miles South—Repairs to one-half the roadway being made. Traffic is handled on other half of roadway and shoulder.

Gilroy To Sargent—State highway under contract construction between Gilroy and Sargent. Traffic is being handled on short stretches of side road as work progresses.

San Felipe To Merced County Line—State highway under contract and closed. No detours available.

Altamont To Easterly County Line—Repairs to one-half concrete pavement being made between Altamont and easterly county line. Traffic is handled on one-half the pavement as work progresses.

San Juan, San Benito County—Construction in progress between the Pajaro River and San Juan on coast highway. All except one-half mile of pavement has been opened to traffic. Traffic is by-passed along the side of one-half miles of the construction work.

Pajaro River Bridge — Pajaro River Bridge is under repair and closed. Traffic is being handled on side road which turns off pavement approximately 400 feet from each end of bridge.

San Lucas, Coalinga Lateral, Monterey County—Grading work is in progress near San Lucas and rock surfacing is being placed from the easterly end. Short detours are necessary where former county road is being graded as a portion of the new highway. All of the unsurfaced portion is rutted and muddy in wet weather.

San Luis Obispo—Short gaps are being paved in half section about four miles south of San Luis Obispo. Traffic being carried on one-half width of road during construction.

Naples and Gaviota, Santa Barbara County—Concrete shoulders have been constructed for a distance of ten miles near Gaviota and Tajiguas. Shoulders are high as surfacing is yet to be placed and speed should be reduced over this portion. Workmen and trucks are employed throughout the entire distance and at times the road is blocked for short intervals. Drivers should reduce speed and exercise caution between signs marking the limits of this work. Traffic is cared for over pavement but will be hampered to a limited extent.

COAST ROUTE

The new pavement on Whittier Road between the city limits of Los Angeles and Indiana Avenue and Pasadena Avenue has been opened to travel, although the work of paving between the street car tracks somewhat restricts the traveled way.

Construction work between San Juan Capistrano and the Orange-San Diego County line necessitates a detour on the westerly side from San Juan Capistrano to Serra over old county road in good condition. At the railway crossing at San Juan Capistrano, the view is unobstructed and it is protected by an automatic wigwag signal; but at Serra the view is obscured, and there is no danger signal, so that the crossing should be approached with great caution. Beginning one mile below Serra and continuing for one-quarter mile the shoulders are being constructed on one side of the pavement, leaving a single track of pavement past the work, and traffic should drive slowly and with care. These detours are quite slippery in wet weather and great care should be used in driving at such times, and the use of chains is recommended. The pavement has been opened from a point one and one-quarter miles southerly from Serra to end of work at Orange-San Diego County line.

Coast Boulevard—The construction work on the new Coast Boulevard above Santa Monica no longer requires any restriction to travel. The road, however, is very rough on account of grading operations.

Ridge Route — Construction of shoulders between Saugus and Castaic necessitates restricting traffic to one-half the pavement and the use of short by-passes past material piles.

Construction work between Castaic and Castaic School necessitates by-passing traffic for short distance around the day's work.

Construction work between Quail Lake and the Los Angeles-Kern County line has necessitated a detour on both sides of the highway beginning one-quarter mile easterly from Gormans. This detour is about 1½ miles long, mostly over an old traveled road in good condition.

Gazelle To Dunsmuir.—State Highway open for traffic and in excellent condition between Gazelle and junction with county road near Shasta River eight miles south of Gazelle; between Shasta River and Weed, a distance of three miles, state highway closed on account of paving operations, and traffic follows county road in fair condition. From weed to Sisson state highway is now open for traffic throughout, and about one-half of this distance is new concrete pavement, balance gravel surface; Sisson to Dunsmuir, new concrete pavement open for traffic.

Dunsmuir To Redding—New concrete pavement from Dunsmuir to Little Castle Creek is now open for traffic. Surfacing crews are at work farther south, but highway is kept open for traffic, and is in good condition.

Redding To Cottonwood—Paved highway now open throughout except for detour over county road at site of proposed subway.

Auburn to Grass Valley—Light vehicles to take state highway from Auburn to Forest Spring road (about one and one-half miles above Rattlesnake Creek) thence over this road to Grass Valley, entering town on Mill Street. Proper direction signs at all turns. Heavy vehicles must use the road running east from Wheatland via Spenceville.

Fairfield To Vacaville—Highway under construction but open to travel; drive carefully.

Rio Vista To Denverton—Highway under construction. At west end of Rio Vita Bridge turn north for six-tenths of a mile; thence west two miles over gravel road, thence south one mile to highway, thence west over highway to Creed, thence two-tenths of a mile westerly over gravel road to highway, thence over highway to Denverton. Direction signs at all turns.

Denverton To Suisun—Beginning one mile east of Suisun, highway under construction for 1½ miles, travel detoured along borrow pits adjacent to the road.

Colusa to Meridian—Highway under construction. From point about five miles south of Colusa to Sycamore closed. Use detour via Sycamore-Grimes Road. Detour signs at all turns.

Maxwell to Delevan—About two miles north of Maxwell culvert is being enlarged; drive slowly.

Norman to One Mile North of Logandale, Glenn County—Highway under construction; closed. At Norman turn west on county road about three miles; thence north three miles; thence east three miles to highway, about one mile north of Logandale.

Chico to Hamilton City—Highway under construction. Use old road for one mile east of Sacramento River.

Sacramento to Stockton—Southern Pacific Railroad crossing at McConnell Station under repair; drive slow.

South of Bakersfield—Pavement closed to traffic short distance south of Bakersfield during daytime only, account of surfacing work. Traffic use temporary road adjacent to pavement, except when work is being done at canal crossings, then detours are necessary around county roads one mile east or west of highway, depending upon exact location of work. All detours well signed.

SIERRA NEVADA MOUNTAINS

Auburn to Colfax—Under construction. Take Grass Valley Highway to a point about three miles from Auburn, turn right on Christian Valley Road for about four miles to Colfax Highway, along highway to Clipper Gap, turn left and follow county road to Colfax, detour signs at all intersecting roads.

Donner Summit, Phillips Summit, Carson Pass, Sonora Pass, Ebbetts Pass, Tioga Pass—All passes closed.

El Portal-Yosemite—Half width pavement under way near park boundary.

Buena Vista-Keystone—Highway open to travel.

East of Sierra Nevada Mountains—Detour between Laws Railroad Station and Bishop. Highway between Bishop and Bridgeport and Tioga and Sonora Pass Roads closed for Winter.

COAST RANGE ROADS

(In addition to Coast and Valley Route.)

Cuesta Grade, San Luis Obispo County—Pavement over the Cuesta Grade north of San Luis Obispo is under construction. The new pavement has been opened to traffic, but speed should be reduced over the grade as workmen are employed at various places installing guard rail, etc.

El Centro to Yuma—The asphalt pavement east from the East High Line Canal is open for about nine miles. From the end of the pavement to the County Well the direct road is in the same condition as the old desert road from Holtville to County Well.

Plank road is in excellent condition and balance of route in fair condition for travel.

San Bernardino to El Centro—Construction work in the City of Banning necessitates a two-mile detour over unpaved city streets in good condition. Detour has been thoroughly signed; road between Banning and Indio is in good shape except for a rough stretch between Banning and Whitewater. On account of construction work between Banning and Whitewater, a detour about five miles long is necessary between Cabazon and Whitewater. This detour is single track with frequent turnouts and is in about the same condition as the balance of the road in this vicinity.

The new pavement has been opened for about three and one-quarter miles southerly from Trifolium Canal to a point on the main east and west road into Westmoreland. The county road from end of pavement to Westmoreland is being sprinkled and maintained by the county and is in fair condition.

Construction work on highway between Imperial and El Centro necessitates a detour to an unimproved county road about one-quarter mile west of the state highway, and which road is in good condition and is well signed.

Crest Route, Waterman Canyon to Big Bear—Winter conditions now obtain on the road to Big Bear, the drainage ditches across the road are being constructed which necessitates care in driving. This road should be avoided during stormy weather as the road will be soft and muddy and snow is likely to be encountered on the high level making travel dangerous.

Maricopa-Cuyama Valley—Highway under construction west three miles from Maricopa. Detour adjacent to highway.

Kings River Canyon — Road through General Grant Park and Hume closed account of snow.

Ukiah-Tahoe Route—Road graveled and in good condition. Forks to Coyote Valley. Between Coyote Valley and Upper Lake construction in progress, but road in good condition. In Lake County there are short detours around work, plainly marked.

VALLEY ROUTE

Pacheco Pass—Pacheco Pass is closed from Merced County line west. Road is open from Los Banos west to county line to local travel only.

Paris Plans To Tag Pedestrians

Realizing the constant danger that the people of Paris face on the highways, it has been proposed to use identification tags, such as hung from soldiers' necks, during the World War for the pedestrian. These would preclude the necessity of taking the unfortunate to the morgue when he finally falls a victim to reckless driving.

PROTECT FINISH

To avoid scratching the surface of a car, great care should be exercised because a coat of varnish takes several months to harden properly. The habit of dusting a car with a cloth will spoil the finish, as the material picks up the dust and grinds it into the varnish.

Recovering Stolen Cars From Mexico Big Job

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might subrent the coveted garage. Following a brief business arrangement, the Japanese offered to demonstrate the rather unusual qualities of the garage to Senor Gutierrez, and together they set out for the place.

Japanese Arrested

Such a situation was the ideal key to the officer's plot, for hardly had they entered the corral when he had placed the Japanese under arrest. "Misery loves company," so they say, and Gokotogin must have been lonesome for he "squealed" the names of the two boys who had brought the car to his garage. They, too, were arrested. Although keys to both cars were found on the Japanese, he claimed that he knew nothing of the circumstances surrounding the automobiles, and that he had stored the cars for a couple of Mexican youths.

Only one of the boys could speak English, and his words were very difficult to understand, but Daniels interviewed him in the jail and got some new facts. He found that the boy really was not implicated in the actual theft of the car. Placido Rubio, the other youth, had picked him up one day for a little joy ride around the city of Juarez and had ended the celebration by driving him into the corral at the back of the Mexican abode, where he felt the car with the Japanese.

Cars In Good Shape

With the exception of a few tools, both cars were intact and in good running order. The fellows had planned to ship the automobiles further into the interior and to sell them for what they might get. Of course the license plates and identification seals had been removed from both cars. The automobiles were value by the Mexican appraiser; suits were filed for possession in the federal court; a very long and tedious process brought about the conviction of the thieves, and finally the cars were turned over to the El Paso adjusters.

While the recovery was one of unusual financial expense it was invaluable in the development of lasting friendship between the federal judge, the district attorney and the chief of police and the Texas men. More than ten legal authorities were involved in the recovery of the cars.

DRIVEAWAYS TO AID THIS YEAR

Many New Car Owners And Dealers To Drive Own Cars From Factories

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—"Given average favorable Winter weather and road conditions, the automobile industry can deliver from one-third to one-half its output over the road," says James S. Marvin, head of the traffic division of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, discussing the present transportation problems and the future outlook for getting cars to dealers.

He says:

The railroad situation right now is unchanged but then we have been favored by good weather. Let a few good, old fashioned blizzards come along and see the difference. The railroads are doing fairly well but they are not improving and we are liable to have a change of weather at any time. I think, however, that we will be able to meet the traffic emergencies and I am looking to driveaways to help materially.

Many Driveaways In 1920

In our record year, 1920, when we made 2,205,197 cars, our manufacturers delivered 470,867 over the roads. Even in the so-called bad Winter months of January and February, we kept up a rapid pace, showing 29,283 in January and 43,719 in February.

If we could do this two years ago, how much easier will it be this Winter, for since 1920 there have been miles and miles of improved highways opened up and, in addition, the various states have got busy in the matter of snow removal and our roads this Winter are going to be able to give us service in consequence.

Navigation No Difficulty

We are not disturbed by the closing of navigation, for the number of automobiles delivered by boats has been small when compared with the monthly production. Not more than 5,000 cars a month are shipped by boats even at busy times.

TO SHIFT GEARS

Disengage the clutch before shifting transmission gears, to allow easy movement of the gears and shifting lever, and to prevent grating and possible breaking of gear teeth when the shift is attempted. It is possible on some cars to change gears without first disengaging the clutch, but considerable practice and familiarity with them is necessary, and danger of stripping the teeth and strain on the entire driving system is greatly increased.

Sixty-two per cent of accidents occurring on highways can be avoided by proper care of brakes.

CROSSING WILL BE ELIMINATED

Move Started At Modesto To Rebuild Road Across Railroad Tracks

(By Bee Bureau)

MODESTO (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 29.—The days of "Death Crossing," as the Hatch Crossing has come to be known, are numbered, it is believed. This is the crossing between here and Ceres, about two miles south on the state highway, where the highway makes a right angle turn across the Southern Pacific tracks and another angle turn south. More deaths have occurred there than in any other one place in the county, and it is believed the crossing ranks with the worst in the state as a fatal spot.

Not so much because of the railroad tracks as because of the nature of the curve is the crossing feared, although there have been many fatal accidents there involving trains.

Men of the state division of motor vehicles, it was learned to-day, have been inspecting the crossing preparing to make recommendations to the State Highway Commission.

To hasten things along, the Modesto City Council has addressed communications to the highway commission, the Modesto Irrigation District, and the California State Automobile Association demanding that something be done to remove the danger.

The irrigation district comes in because its culvert across the highway is so located as to raise automobile lights so that they do not play on the dangerous curve. It was suggested that the district arrange to drop the road at that spot to the proper level.

TIRE EFFICIENCY

To get the maximum from a tire, it should be deflated at the end of every 2,500 miles of service. Dismount the tire from the rim, remove the grit, wash the inside of the casing with gasoline, and then apply talc.

WHEN THE MOTOR COUGHS

Coughing in the carburetor, followed by sharp explosions in the muffler, indicates a wrong adjustment of the auxiliary air valve. On the other hand, coughing followed by a choking down and stopping of the motor, indicates that there is water in the gasoline.

KEROSENE CLEANS CYLINDERS

A certain quanity of carbon in the cylinders can be forced out by pouring a tablespoon of kerosene into the petcocks after each day's run. This loosens up the carbon, and a large portion of it is blown out through the exhaust.

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Fresno And Dinuba Elevens To Furnish Holiday Attraction

Local Legion Team Is Strengthened By Addition Of New Backfield Men. Witt Will Play Half For Peterson's Crew. Visalia Prepares For Contests

By DICK DOWN

FRESNO and Dinuba will share the spotlight to-morrow in the only American Legion league football game of the day. The contest will be called at 2:30 o'clock at Dinuba. Selma was scheduled to meet Bakersfield which quit the league on account of lack of support. Visalia drew a bye in the schedule.

Dinuba took the first game of the season here from the home crew by one touchdown. At that time Fresno had a ragged aggregation of gridiron warriors. Many of the men were new to the game, some were playing out of position and generally they were a disorganized mob.

The 7 to 0 score told the story pretty well. Since that time Fresno has lost to Selma and Visalia. The same fate has been meted out to Dinuba. On the sheet it looks like an even affair.

However, the boys over at Mariposa and O streets are all filled with pep. Since the last game nearly three weeks ago they have smoothed down their stuff and strengthened the backfield materially. There was general rejoicing a few days ago when the word went around that Elmer Witt, who coached and played half on the 1919 Fresno Legion team would appear in the lineup for the three remaining games.

Witt, who played at St. Mary's, some years back and who has been in the game here and there since is a fast, heady backfield man. He lead a victorious team here three years ago; a club that went through the season with but one defeat. That smear was handed out by the Olympic club, which had a grand bunch that season. Now Witt is back in the whole-hearted effort to give Fresno a victory or two before the season closes.

Another New Back

Another new face on the local line-up will be Hosler, the husky back from Madera. Hosler has been working out with Fresno for the past two weeks and appears to be the goods. The big fellow hits like a ton of brick and is remarkably fast for a man who tips the scales at well over the 200 mark.

Alotta will be in condition to play to-morrow but Danielson who was injured in the Selma set-to will be out for another week at least.

Fresno has two more games to play. The next one will be with the Visalians here on December 10 and the last one will be played here also a week later with Vic Kelley's Selma eleven as opponents.

About That Argument

A week ago when there was some question whether Visalia and Selma would get together for their game the fans up and down the Valley were all ready with the old anvils in case Visalia refused the engagement. The Tulare crew wanted the game postponed until to-morrow. They stated that it would mean a bigger gate, which probably would have been the case. However, many of the fans accused Coach Eells' gang of wanting to delay because there were a number of injuries from the game a week before with Dinuba.

Selma refused to postponed the game. Vic Kelley knew his stuff and insisted that the game be played. The old Carlisle star had his outfit primed and they took a great victory.

The Proper Spirit

But now Visalia, tied with Selma for the leadership of the league, shows that they are true sportsmen by showing that they never intended quitting the league and have proven their words of cancelling the Watsonville engagement so that they may be in better condition for the remaining games. Eells has his gang working hard every day. They could have picked up a nice bit of dinero to-morrow in the Watsonville fracas but fear of injuries that would jeopardize their chances for the valley chances prompted them to call off the show.

Visalia comes here next week while Selma is playing Dinuba. The following week Eells' crew will close their schedule with Dinuba while Selma comes here.

No Grounds For Kick

From where we are sitting it appears very much as if the Visalia gang had been accused of an attempt to disrupt the league without foundation for the accusation.

Visalia and Selma will win their remaining games unless there is an upset in the dope. Both have defeated Dinuba and Fresno and while the local crew unquestionably will give both of them a hard battle the pencil prophets give the leaders an edge.

In case they do go through the schedule and finish a tie it will be necessary to play an additional game on neutral ground.

Why not hold that game in Fresno?

That's what we were getting at all the time.

Best Field Here

The high school plant is by far the best equipped in the Valley to handle such a crowd as would come to see Selma and Visalia fight it out for the championship. And as it is hardly probably that either club would agree to playing on the lot of the enemy a neutral ground will be necessary.

And Christmas Day would be one grand date.

Jewett Secures December 12th Date For Bouts

Gene Jewett, matchmaker of the Fresno American Legion announced this morning that December 12th had been selected as the date for the first boxing carnival under the direction of the local post.

Sal Carlo and Johnny Cline will appear in the main event and Jewett has announced the rest of his card as follows:

Jack Powell, Fresno and Tommy Commiskey of San Francisco.

Joe Herman, Oakland, and Rick Ellis, Fresno.

Mike Romano and Pat Demere, both of Fresno.

Young Kilrain and Young Wong, both of Fresno.

Herman won his match last night at Tulare taking the decision from Charlie Frias. Young Wong, another of Jewett's battlers, was on the southern card also last night and stopped his man in the third round. Romano and Demere fought a fast draw at Tulare.

From this it would indicate that the fans who see the local mitt carnival next month will witness a bunch of real bouts.

Lemoore Confident Of Defeating Hanford

(By Bee Bureau)

LEMOORE (Kings Co.), Nov. 29.—When Coach Ross takes his team of huskies to Hanford to-morrow for the last game of the season, he is going with confidence that they will return victors.

Since their only defeat this year at the hand of the Fowler eleven, Ross has been putting them through a stiff course of practice every day and the improvement is noticeable.

Reedley High To Play Kern Team In New Program

The high school situation in reference to the county and valley championships was switched around yesterday when the coaches of Reedley, Selma, Strathmore, Fowler and Bakersfield got together here and called for a new deal.

Now the cards read like this:

Reedley vs. Bakersfield.

Strathmore vs. Fowler.

The winners of the two games to-morrow will meet for the valley championship and the right to play in the state finals.

The original schedule called for Strathmore at Bakersfield. In this part of the valley Reedley and Selma was paired, the winner to play Fowler for the county title and the right to meet the winner of the Kern County game for the state rights.

But the time limit placed by the California Interscholastic Federation prevented this being carried through so Coach Edwards of Selma High and Coach Sharp of Reedley tossed to see which team would play Bakersfield and it fell to Reedley. So far as the state race is concerned Selma is checked out. Following the decision over the state honors Reedley, Selma and Fowler will decide the county championship.

Strathmore probably will defeat Fowler by a substantial score while Bakersfield is not expecting a severe battle with Reedley, so it all comes down to the original situation of Strathmore playing Bakersfield, which was scheduled for to-morrow in the Oil City.

Fast Contests Played In 'Y' Hoop League

With the advent of basketball season approaching rapidly local teams are rounding in to form. Three games were held at the local Y gymnasium last night and from all appearances the brand of basketball that will be exhibited to the fans this coming season will be above the average.

The Casner's Drug team won the first game of the evening from the Telephone five. The dope favored the Telephone crew to win but unexpected resistance on the part of Casner's brought the final score to 31-24.

Casners, 31.	Position	Telephone 24
Prenchina	F	Mallett
Martin	F	Chiodi
Maxson	C	Stickney
Lynch	G	Bouled
Herzog	G	Santos

Substitutions—Imps — Crane for Boulder, Willhamson for Chiodi, Boulder for Santos. Santos, for Crane, Chiodi for Mallett, Crane for Santos.

Easy Win For Bank

The Bank of Italy ran away with the long end of the score in the second game of the evening with the Pacific Gas and Electric Company. Nichol, forward for the Bank, dropped the ball through the hoop from all angles of the court for thirty points. Superior teamwork on the part of the Bank men resulted in the final score of 46-8.

Bank of Italy 46	Pos.	P. G. & E. 8
Nichols	F	Franklyn
Owensen	F	Ellis
Hine	C	Oakland
Barsotti	G	Erickson
Ellis	G	Herzog

Y '45's vs. Fidelity

Superior teamwork on the part of the Y easily enabled them to defeat their slower and less experienced opponents. Although outclassed and outplayed the Fidelity team fought for possession of the ball every minute of play. The score was 39 to 6.

Y '45's (39)	Pos.	Fidelity (6)
Hopkins	F	Shaver
Malcomb	F	Windham
Levendahl	C	Grimmer
Golland	G	Hollingsworth
Holstein	C	Emberling

Substitutions—Fidelity—Good for Windham, Dahlberg for Shaver. Umpire Long. Timekeeper Baldwin.

ORGANIZATION OF HUNTERS FORMED

(By Bee Bureau)

MODESTO (Stanislaus Co.), Nov. 29.—Starting with a membership of nearly 750, sportsmen of Stanislaus and Tuolumne Counties Tuesday night organized the Stanislaus-Tuolumne Counties Fish and Game Protective Association.

Henry Garrison, Stanislaus County sportsman, was elected president, Fred Leighton of Sonora vice-president, George O'Conner of Modesto treasurer, and Dan L. Beebe of Modesto secretary. The following directors were chosen: Garrison, O'Conner, Leighton, J. O. Bigelow of Tuolumne City, Hugh Appling of Oakdale, M. Hedman of Turlock and Lewis H. Bach of Sonora. They will serve for one year.

Garrison Favored.

Upon motion of the Tuolumne delegation the new organization went enthusiastically on record favoring the appointment of Garrison as a member of the state fish and game commission.

Charter membership of the association will be kept open for sixty days and it is the intention of the organization to obtain a membership of 1,000 within that time. With the present membership it is believed to be the largest single fish and game organization on the coast.

Speakers at the meeting strongly advocated a fish hatchery for Tuolumne County, declaring that the present system of bringing fish fry in from distant hatcheries is inadequate.

Streams Fished Out

It was declared that under the present system less than twenty per cent of the fry mature, whereas the number of fishermen is rapidly increasing. The streams are fished out the first three weeks of each season, it was declared. The association went on record for a policy of co-operation with the forest service, the cattlemen and the lumbermen in the prevention of fires and safeguarding of cattle and other stock.

The aims of the organization include the raising of the standard of ethics of the individual sportsman as well as throwing the influence of the sportsmen as a unit back of beneficial legislation.

A delegation of forty-five sportsmen came down from Tuolumne and were tendered a duck dinner by the local men. The meeting at the court room of Judge J. C. Needham was attended by such a throng that standing room was at a premium. Harmony prevailed and the organization meeting was pronounced a great success.

Joe Herman Wins Decision In Main Event At Tulare

(By Bee Bureau)

TULARE (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—Before a packed house Joe Herman took the decision in the main event of the Legion show here last night from Charlie Frias after four rounds of fast battling. This was one of the best shows of the evening and sent the fistic fans home in the proper spirit.

In the opening match Young Wong, the Chinese battler, stopped Harry Rose in the third round of a slam-bang affair. Kid Cal of Newman, substituting for Joe Gibbons, knocked out Whitey King in the fourth round. King took the count of nine twice in the third and could not weather the fourth.

Frank Stann won a decision from Kid Riley. The bouts between Mike Romano and Pat Demere and also between Joe Mackeral and Kid Ritchie were draws.

Two Football Games On Easton's Program

(By Bee Bureau)

EASTON (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—The football season will close here to-morrow with a double bill, All-Star teams meeting the high school in both soccer and intercollegiate football. The All-Star soccer team will be composed largely of men who have played the game in the British Isles while the Star bunch playing the American game are for the most part college grads who are now located in this section. The first game will be started at 2:30 o'clock.

Madison Bowlers Win From Elks Club Team

Rolling in great style the A. L. Madison five last night defeated the Elks Club team by a score of 2,666 to 2,456. Murray had high game with 235 and high average. To-night the Harry Coffee team will meet the Cuthbert five in a Class A match, while the Brunswick Cleaners and Overlands will tangle in B class.

The score last night:

A. L. Madison Club—				
Emberton	131	170	185—	486
Goldfarb	205	165	175—	525
Murray	176	235	190—	601
Sayre	168	146	170—	485
Jackson	150	156	153—	469
Totals	885	912	873—	2666
Elks' Club—				
Pascoe	182	131	173—	486
Standen	167	171	151—	489
Jones	188	192	175—	555
Brownell	162	227	171—	560
Robinson	158	152	165—	475
Totals	857	904	835—	2556

Henderson Preparing Trojans For Battle With Washington State

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 29.—Coach Elmer "Gloomy Gus" Henderson to-day was preparing his University of Southern California Trojans for the landing of the pilgrims who came down here from Washington State to spend Thanksgiving.

Which is mixed history but gospel to the Trojans, who simply must have that football game to-morrow in order to get the east-west contest at Pasadena New Year's Day.

Coach Gus Welch has brought eighteen Cougars with him who are determined to blight the hopes of the University of Southern California. And when Gus meet Gus, the fight begins.

Though the Washington State team is light to go up against the U. S. C. huskies, everyone is ready to see a good game at the Pasadena Tournament of Roses Stadium.

JUNIOR FINALS ON HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Semi-finals in Class D in the Junior Tennis tournament were completed this morning. All is in readiness to play the championship matches in this division as well as the A class.

William Lauritzen of the high school took his match from Raymond Mitchell of Washington, 8-3, 6-2, while John B. Avery defeated Paul Wilhelmson, both of the high school, 6-2, 8-6.

Lauritzen and Avery will meet at 2 o'clock to-morrow for the championship of Class D. The winner of this match will receive the cup donated by the Fresno Bee.

While this event is being held, Bessie Milton of Longfellow and Mina Jones of Washington, who battled their way into the finals, will play for the cup in the Class D girls' division.

At 1 o'clock Maurice Girard, Washington, and Orval Sutton of Burbank, will play for the honors of Class A. The girls' match in this class as postponed as one of the finalists was called out of the city. While the Class A boys are playing the finals the midget match will be held in the other courts, between Carl Daniels and Lawrence Harrison.

The final honors in the open tournament also will be played at Dickey to-morrow. Robert Warning, city champion, will play Lawrence Burns in one of the semi-final matches while F. B. Johnson and W. Buethal will meet in the other. The winners will play for the trophy.

University Club Defeats Lions In Fast Game

In one of the fastest and most thrilling games of indoor baseball ever played on the local Y diamond the University Club upset all the dope and defeated the Lions Club by the score of 17-13, causing a triple tie.

Ken Wakefield has been the strong pitcher of the league, and it was expected that he would have an easy time of it. However, the University squad used a little bit of their "superior education" and appeared with Frank Everetts occupying the pitcher's box. From the start until the last strike the game was a pitcher's battle.

Tupper, left fielder of the University crowd, contributed to the score by lining out a home run with three on base. Wakefield caused ten men to take the bench by strike outs, and Everetts did the same to seventeen.

The University will meet the Exchange Club early next week in one of the games to settle the league leadership.

Lions—McKenzie, c; Wakefield, p; Brownell, 1st; Hayes, 3rd; Saunders, 2nd.

University—Kellis, 3rd; Johnson, 2nd; Everetts, p; Lopez, c; Tupper, lf; Brewer, rf.

Umpires—Long, Holstein.

Trading Will Be Lively In 1923 Pitchers

By HENRY L. FARRELL

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—John McGraw had a lot of experience last season juggling Giant pitchers around but he is not anxious to do his tricks again next season.

On the reserve list of players certified to National League headquarters, the Giants have eighteen pitchers, none of which are youngsters just picked up from the bushes. Strings are out for several more, but they can not be acquired until room is made for them.

Dave Robertson, utility outfielder and pinch hitter, probably will get his papers to help get the squad down to legal size.

All the veteran pitchers will be retained next season and McGraw expects big Jock Scott to be one of his leaders. Scott was said to have been hurt on a barnstorming trip but the Giant office denies that it was serious.

Yankees After May

The Yankees have a bunch of star pitchers, if they act that way, but a few more will be added. The club has first call on Jakey May, the Vernon star southpaw who burnt up the Pacific Coast League last season.

May was up once before but the scouts say he is all ready for another trial. The Vernon club thinks so much of him that they want $75,000 in players for him.

Mack Building Team

The Yankees would like to have Ed Rommell, the great athletic pitcher—so would every other club. While Connie Mack persists that he is building up a team and not conducting a market, it is understood that such attractive offers have been made by the Yanks, the Tigers and White Sox that Mack must trade if he could get something good in the deal.

Every club in the two major leagues can use pitchers or players and it is probable that the coming meeting of the minor leagues in Louisville will see even more spirited buying and trading than marked the session last year in Buffalo.

Prize Fights In Argentine Banned; Boxers Use Teeth

BUENOS AIRES, Nov. 29.—(By Mail to United Press.)—Prizefights are barred by law in the Argentine, but nevertheless prizefights are held, and a fighter isn't disqualified because he bites, scratches or pulls hair, if the affair is before a local referee.

A Buenos Aires boxer appeared recently before his friends with his face disfigured, the wounds indicating that a set of good strong teeth had found lodgment there. He said he had given an exhibition match and that his opponent had proceeded to bite him in the face.

"And what did you do?" he was asked.

"I bit him in the shoulder."

There has been only one big fight in the Argentine—that between the heavyweights Luis Firpo and Jim Tracey—but the local fights are frequent, and howlingly patronized.

8-Team Valley League Favored By Visalia Club

(By Bee Bureau)

VISALIA (Tulare Co.), Nov. 29.—Visalia baseball fans will support the organization of an eight-club baseball league for next summer, in the opinion of the present board of directors of the Pirates. Which two of the suggested four teams shall be admitted to make up the eight-club league has not been suggested by any of the local directors who prefer, they say, to attend a meeting of the league which President Al C. Joy hopes to call for early in December.

"To my mind all of the four cities, Stockton, Modesto, Merced and Bakersfield, could put snappy teams in the field and draw well," said Manager George C. Cobb of the Pirates. "I am personally of the opinion that the Modesto Reds would draw the best crowd on general principles and through reputation but this would largely depend upon the class of baseball played."

The Visalia fans have called a meeting for Friday night at which time the report of financial conditions within the ranks of the local unit will be received showing, it is said, a slight deficit but hardly enough to worry about. In view of permanent improvements paid last year which need not be met next season the financial statement will show up very well.

This fact being accepted as somewhat remarkable in view of losses in previous years, it is the firm conviction of the present directors that Visalia can well afford to go into the league again next season with a determination to get further up the ladder than was enjoyed at the close of last season's conflict.

Here's List Of Thanksgiving Grid Contests

Alabama vs. Mississippi Agriculture, at Birmingham.
Arkansas vs. Oklahoma Agriculture, at Fort Smith.
Bucknell vs. Dickinson, at Lewisburg.
Cape Girardeau vs. Arkansas Agriculture, at Cape Girardeau.
Centre vs. South Carolina, at Danville.
Chattanooga vs. Celethrope, at Chattanooga.
Cincinnati vs. Miami, at Cincinnati.
Colorado College vs. Colorado Mines, at Colorado Springs.
Coll. Idaho vs. Whitman School, at Caldwell.
Columbia vs. Colgate, at New York.
Creighton vs. South Dakota State, at Omaha.
Dakota Wesleyan vs. Yankton, at Mitchell.
Detroit vs. Vermont, at Detroit.
Denver vs. Colorado Agriculture, at Denver.
Frank. and Marsh. vs. Gettysburg, at Lancaster.
Georgia Tech vs. Atlanta Polytechnical, at Atlanta.
George Washington vs. Georgetown, at Washington.
Hampton vs. Virginia Union, at Hampton.
Howard vs. Lincoln, at Washington.
Illinois Wesleyan vs. Illinois Normal, at Bloomington.
Iowa Wesleyan vs. Parsons, at Mt. Pleasant.
Johns Hopkins vs. Washington and Lee, at Baltimore.
Kansas Agriculture vs. Texas Christian at Manhattan.
Louisiana State vs. Tulane, at Baton Rouge.
Marietta vs. Ohio University, at Marietta.
Marquetteo vs. S. Dakota, at Milwaukee.
Mercer vs. Howard, at Macon.
Missouri vs. Kansas, at Columbia.
Milsaps vs. Mississippi, at Jackson.
Muhlenberg vs. Ursinus, at Allentown.
Nebraska vs. Notre Dame, at Lincoln.
Pennsylvania vs. Cornell, at Philadelphia.
Penn vs. Central, Oskaloosa.
Pittsburgh vs. Penn State, at Pittsburgh.
Richmond vs. William and Mary, at Richmond.
Rochester vs. Hobart, at Rochester.
St. Bonaventure vs. Niagara, at St. Bonaventure.
St. Louis vs. Michigan Agriculture, at St. Louis.
South Methodist vs. Baylor, at Dallas.
Tennessee vs. Kentucky, at Knoxville.
Texas vs. Texas Agriculture, at Austin.
Transylvania vs. Georgetown, at Lexington.
Trinity vs. Austin, at Waxahachie.
Tulsa vs. Centre Teachers, at Tulsa.
University Southern California vs. Washington State, at Pasadena.
Utah vs. Utah Agriculture, at Salt Lake City.
Vanderbilt vs. University, at South Nashville.
Virginia vs. North Carolina, at Charlotte.
Virginia Polytechnical vs. Virginia Military, at Roanoke.
Washington vs. Oregon, at Seattle.
Washburn vs. Pittsburgh, at Topeka.
Washington University vs. Oklahoma, at St. Louis.
Western Reserve vs. Case, at Cleveland.
West Virginia vs. Washington and Jefferson, at Morgantown.

FIGHT RESULTS

(By the United Press)

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 29.—Ray T. Long won the decision from Jimmy Sacco in a clinching bout in the main event at the Vernon arena last night.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Jack Bernstein, New York lightweight, won a twelve round decision from Babe Herman, California featherweight.

TOLEDO, Nov. 29.—Bill Tate, negro, heavyweight, knocked out Tut Jackson in the fourth round.

WIFE ILL; GREB DELAYS BOUT

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Because his wife is seriously ill the New York Boxing Commission has allowed Harry Greb, American light heavy-weight champion, to postpone his bout with Gene Tunney, scheduled for December 29, in Madison Square Garden.

Jimmy Murphy Is Far In Lead For 1922 Crown

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 29.—Jimmy Murphy, California automobile race pilot, is so far ahead in the race for this year's national speed crown that he cannot be overtaken, even if defeated in the last big contest of the year, the Thanksgiving Day race on the Beverly Hills speedway near here.

According to A. M. Young, secretary and manager of the Los Angeles Speedway Association, Murphy has 2,920 points already. Tommy Milton, 1921 champion, is in second place with 1,560 points and cannot take the lead, even if Murphy should not place at all Thanksgiving Day.

The standings of the drivers are:

Jimmy Murphy	2,920
Tommy Milton	1,560
Harry Hartz	1,645
Frank Elliott	875
Eddie Hearne	352
Bennett Hill	378
Jerry Wonderlich	375
Ralph Mulford	255
Pietro Bordino	195
Art Klein	194
Ralph de Palma	755
Ora Halbe	169
L. L. Fetterman	108
Joe Thomas	95
H. Wilcox	80
Peter de Paolo	28

Grid Fans Will See Real Row When State And Kern Team Meet

Fresno Eleven Slightly Favored By Dope Sheet; Bakersfield Junior College Has Unbroken Record This Year. Coach Jones Takes No Chances

FRESNO State eleven will go on the field here to-morrow to meet the unbeaten Bakersfield Junior College aggregation. State will start with the dope in its favor, despite the fact that it has been beaten and the equally obvious fact that the Kern County players have not yet been handed the small end of a score.

The great showing that State made against the Davis Aggies a week and a half ago determined that the local college eleven plays a mean brand of football. Those who had watched the two teams throughout the season felt sure that the best that State could do would be to hold the northerners to two or three touchdowns. The locals not only did not allow the invaders a single touchdown, but had them on the defensive through most of the game.

In the earlier part of the season the State team fought the Modesto Junior College to a scoreless tie, lost to Loyola by a 2-0 score, was beaten by the Stanford frosh and then won its first victory against the Cal Poly team of San Luis Obispo. The Loyola affair was later declared "no game" because of ineligible players on the Loyola eleven. Loyola then forfeited.

Finally Hit Stride

State's drooping hopes were revived when Cal Poly went down with a 20-0 score in favor of the local eleven. From that time on the State team has made good.

No easy win is in prospect for the State eleven, if Bakersfield is as strong as reports indicate. A glance at the record of the Kern eleven shows that it has not experienced a defeat. The Bakersfield team met Modesto once and Santa Barbara twice, winning every time. These teams are conference members, although Bakersfield is not. If the oil city players get a win from State to-morrow, they have an excellent claim to the championship of the secondary colleges of Central and Southern California.

Coach Jones of the State squad has been working his men hard this week, for he realizes that the grid battle is not likely to be a walkaway. Any overconfidence that the team developed after their showing with the Davis outfit has been well knocked out of them.

Use Same Line

The lineup that Jones will start will be the same as that which went in against the Davis eleven. Al Smith will be at left end. If he plays his usual good game the tuxale against the Oil City team end runs will not gain much yardage for the visitors. Fred Telonicher on the other end is playing his first year of football, but he clinched his place on the team without difficulty. The tackle positions will be held down by Glenn Dodson and Al Wilson. Captain Bill Hunkins and Bob Baxter are the guards. The guard positions were thought to be State's weak point, but both of these men played a stellar game against the heaviest pair of men on the Aggie lineup.

Jack Dungan will pilot the State gang. Roy Rice will be left half, and the heavy Kazanjian will be his teammate. Stan Ryan will go in as fullback. He and Rice will do the booting for the Fresno team. Ryan is a bear at throwing passes and if an aerial game develops to-morrow, his arm will hurl the pigskin.

Plenty Of Substitutes

Jones has plenty of subs to send in, including Young, end; Bledsoe and Cropsy, tackles; Carpenter, guard; Keyes, center; Serpa, quarter, and McNeil and Best, halves.

The State squad is in good condition for the game.

After this game comes the clash with the College of the Pacific for the California coast conference championship. It will be played here on December 9th. C. O. P. is the ranking school in the northern division.

The game between the Bakersfield eleven and the Fresno State College team is called for 2:30 to-morrow, and will be held at the new high school field.

Selma Players In Good Condition For Battle

(By Bee Bureau)

SELMA (Fresno Co.), Nov. 29.—By a remarkable streak of good luck all of the local legion football players that participated in the Selma-Visalia game last Sunday will be in good shape for the game here Thursday afternoon at 2:30 with the Santa Barbara Legion team. While the hard fought game at Visalia resulted in most of the players receiving minor bruises and injuries, none will be kept out of the game on Thanksgiving Day.

Many Substitutes

Coach Kelley has been carrying quite a number of substitutes that so far havenot had an opportunity to show their wares, and it is expected that some of them will get into the game for awhile and give the first string men an opportunity to see how their understudies handle the job that will be cut out for them. This will create quite an interest locally as the fans are anxious to see the men tried out.

Just how hard a contest the game will prove to be cannot be foretold as the Santa Barbara team is rated as one of the best in the southern part of the state, and until they are seen in action it will not be known the brand of football they have in stock.

Coach Kelley will take no chances in taking on a defeat and the entire squad will be on hand to help out when necessary.

Line-Up The Same

With the exception of the first Selma-Visalia game the Selma lineup in subsequent games has been practically the same, with one exception when Glass substituted for Sells at left end, until Sells' injured hand was again in good shape.

While newspaper reports of last Sunday's game in which Selma defeated Visalia 13 to 7 at Visalia were approximately correct, one error was made in placing Gordon (center) on the receiving end of the spectacular pass that scored the winning touchdown in the third period.

Gordon played a whole of a game and was pitted against one of the best centers in the valley, Red Hansen. Gordon was able to make a hole through which Bailey made some of his longest gains. It was Gordon at center that started the play that brought the thousands of local fans to their feet a shouting mass of humanity and four backfield men handled the ball before it was finally touched down behind Visalia's goal line, by Mark Thomas, Selma's quarterback and field general.

Players Work

There was not a Selma player that loafed for a second in last Sunday's game, and while doped out by Visalia partizans as not having a chance to win, the peach center boys displayed an assortment of plays with machine-like precision that had the Visalia defense baffled the greater portion of the time Selma had the ball.

Selma now has a combination on its Legion football team that rivals the palmy days of the Chicago Cubs' famous infield, when sensational plays were recorded as "Tinker to Evers to Chance," and now is recorded as Gordon to Bailey to Thomas when the Selma football team is in action.

The game here Thursday will no doubt draw a large crowd of holiday fans who will want to see how valley football compares with that played in the southern section of the state.

Coffroth And Bassity Interests Stand Pat On Tijuana Racing

SAN DIEGO (Calif.), Nov. 29.—The Coffroth-Bassity debate waged on to-day.

Both interests announced that they will open the Tijuana race track to-morrow.

Both interests have printed programs announcing the racing cards.

Jerome Bassity claimed to have definite orders from Judge Mario S. Flores of the federal court of the northern district, Lower California, giving him possession of the track at noon to-day and directing the military to enforce the order.

James W. Coffroth, in his hotel room, calmly announced that the Lower California Jockey Club will open the track to-morrow and that the track will not be turned over to Bassity to-day.

Only one point was agreed upon by both.

The track will open, as scheduled, to-morrow with a card of seven races, including the inaugural handicap with a purse of $1,200.

Horsemen said to-day that there are more horses at the Tijuana track to-day than ever were quartered on a track in the West.

MERCED CLOSES SEASON

(By Bee Bureau)

MERCED (Merced Co.), Nov. 29.—Merced High School's football season will close Thursday afternoon with a game here between the locals and the Le Grand High School team. The first contest between the two teams resulted in a tie score.

PYOTT NAMED CAPTAIN

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Jim Pyott, star Chicago half back for two years, has been elected captain of the 1923 Maroon grid team.

Thanksgiving Greetings

Just as our fathers set aside a day of Thanksgiving for the Bounties of Providence, so this institution, mindful of the happy relations existing between it and the people of this community, takes this opportunity of expressing its thanks and gratitude.

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Fresno Golf Team Expects Hard Match At Sacramento

By RALPH L. OWEN

WHEN the Sunnyside team goes to Sacramento to play the Del Paso Country Club team a week from Sunday, December 10, they will run up against the hardest competition they have encountered this season. The following list of golfers with their handicaps that will oppose the Fresnans was received here to-day.

C. L. Brewer, the Sacramento club champion, is a seven-handicap man. Brewer is coach of the Davis Aggies football team, which recently played a scoreless tie with the Fresno State College eleven. The following fifteen-man team recently defeated the Stockton Country Club team, 11 out of 15 matches. The handicaps follow:

	Handicaps
Charles Wahlander	13
George Toland	11
K. C. Meyers	10
Sid Herkner	11
C. L. Brewer	7
Victor Chambers	11
A. R. Galloway	11
Carl Lamm	13
K. B. McCarthy	11
Frank Reynolds	13
Jesse Childs	7
Gus Chick	10
J. T. Maguire	7
Dr. J. H. Graham	11
Mal Enos	13

The annual Thanksgiving tournament at Sunnyside will start Thursday. Qualifying rounds will be held to determine the entrants for the first, second and third flights.

Two trophy cups will be at stake. The golfer shooting the lowest gross for eighteen holes in the qualifying round will win the Markum cup. The winner of the first flight in the final match play will win the handsome Reeding cup. Prizes will be given the winners of the second and third flights.

Walter Hagen and Joe Kirkwood, who come to Fresno to play an exhibition match next Thursday, have just completed a successful tour through the Middle West and are playing in their top form. After their California exhibitions, and match play, they will proceed eastward by way of the southwest and arrive in Florida in time for the late Winter season.

One of the anticipated matches of the tour will be the second Hagen-Gene Sarazen match. These players agreed that the loser of their first encounter would be given a return match and after Sarazen won in the 72-hole affair in Pittsburgh and at Westchester-Biltmore, a return match was to be arranged for Boston and Chicago.

Sarazen's operation prevented the playing of the second matches planned and it will likely take place in California, as Gene expects to go west as soon as he is able to get back on the links again.

Hagen and Kirkwood have played more than fifty matches and appeared before more than 30,000 golfers and 5,000 caddies.

Kirkwood is one of the hardest working golfers in the exhibition game. Besides being an able partner for Hagen, Kirkwood will give an exhibition of trick shots before the Fresno match.

Walter Hagen has won more important golf titles than any other American homebred professional. He has won every major championship at least once. His record:

Won British open championship at Sandwich this year.

Won the French open championship at La Boulie in 1920.

Won the American open championship at Chicago in 1914 and Boston in 1919.

Won metropolitan open championship at Garden City, 1916; at North Shore 1919, and at Greenwich in 1920.

Won western open championship at Milwaukee in 1916 and at Oakwood in 1921.

Besides these major events, Hagen has won numerous minor tournaments, such as the North and South, the Massachusetts open and the West Coast Open.

Members of the Sunnyside regular and yannigan teams enjoyed a duck dinner at the club last night. The two teams were guests of Drs. Harry and Ray Brownell. The Brisley cup which the yannigans recently won by gathering "an enormous score" was prominently displayed. President L. L. Cory presided and short talks were made.

Those present were: L. L. Cory, H. L. Brownell, E. E. Brownell, Irvine P. Aren, Arthur Perkins, E. W. Young, F. E. Brisley, A. M. McKenzie, H. F. Allardt, Gerald Thomas, Charles E. Burner, James W. McAllister, Ted Sheston, R. L. Forsyth, George Howard, P. J. Williams, A. O. Warner, Dudley S. Hates, Peter H. Anderson, W. E. Durfey, Bob Cory, T. P. Spink and Ralph L. Owen.

Kern River Golfers Planning Tourneys

(By Bee Bureau)

BAKERSFIELD (Kern Co.), Nov. 29.—With the "Tombstone" tournament, held recently at the Kern River Golf Club links, proving a success, the tournament committee for that organization will now promote a number of interesting events for the club in the near future.

At the previous tournament, in which there were fifty entries, a large crowd attended the affair and fine golf was exhibited throughout the entire match play.

The prize winners for the men finished with Willis Grandy, first; Dr. Keith McKee, second, and Frank Easton third; while Mrs. L. N. Slater and Mrs. J. A. Hughes carried off the first and second prizes, in the women's tournament.

Coming tournaments which are now under consideration by the committee will consist of team matches, sweep stakes, a spring handicap and the club championship.

FINANCE—BUSINESS—MARKETS

San Francisco Stocks And Bonds
(TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS)

BONDS	Bid	Ask
S F Harbor Imp 4s	....	100.00
Highway Seital 4s	4.30	4.45
S. F. Municipal 3½s	..	101½
S F. Municipal 4½s	4.50	4.30
U. S. Coupon 4s	102.00	105.00
Liberty 3½s	99.94	100.10
do first 4s	97.50	..
do second 4s	97.50	..
do first 4¼s	98.00	
do second 4¼s	97.72	..
do third 4¼s	98.20	98.48
do fourth 4¼s	98.00	98.18
Vic Loan 5th, 4½s	99.92	..
do 5th, 4½s, 1923	100.10	..
U. S. Treasury	99.80	..
Miscellaneous		
American Factors 7s	102	102¼
American Factors 7s	101½	102½
Bay Counties Power 5s	99	..
Cal-Gas & Elec 5s	97¼	..
do ref 5s	94¾	95
Cal & Hdw Sug 7s	103¾	104½
Cal & Haw Sug 7s		101¾
Cal Ore Power 7½s	107	
do series B 6	97½	99
Cal St. Cable Ry 6s	101	..
Cal Tel & Light 6s		98
Cal Tel & Light 6s	shrdcmfwym	
City Investment	93½	94
Coast Cos L & P 5s	87½	
East Bay Water 5½s	98½	99½
First Fed Trust 5s	99½	100
Gen Fed Trust 5s	103¼	104
Great West Power 5s		92¾
do 7s	106	
Gen. Petroleum 5s	92¼	93
do 7s	103¾	104¼
Home T & T Spok. 5s	91½	94½
Los Angeles Elec 5s	97¾	..
Los A. Electric Co. 5s		100¼
do, G & Elec. gen. 5s	97½	..
do G & E Corp 1st 5s	97	
do G & E Corp 7s	104	105
do, G & E ser A 7s	102¾	..
do G & E ser B 7s	101	104¾
do, G & E ser C 7s	..	104¼
do Light Co. 5s	100	100¾
do Ry Corp 1st 5s	83	
do, Pac R R of Cal 5s	81	
do 6s		95¼
Miller and Lux 7s	102	102¾
Market St Ry 5s		89½
do 6s	99	96
Natomas of Cal 6s	11½	
Northern Cal Power 5s	93¾	94½
do ref and con 6		95
Natomas of Cal 6s	62	63
Northern Cal Power 5s	93	94½
do ref and con 6	95¾	96½
Northern Cal. Ry 5s	95	95¾
Orpheum T & R 6	93	
Pas Gas & Elec Imp 4		92¾
Pacific Gas & E 5s	90¾	
do series B 6s	102	102½
do, 7s	106	106¾
Pacifel Elec Ry 5s		87½
Pac T & T 5s	98¾	97⅝
Pac Tel refunding 5s	91½	
Paraf Co. 7½s div 42		104½
do, refining 6	102	
Sac Elec G & Ry 5s	97	98¾
San Joaquin L & P. 5		85¾
do series A 6	100	
do series B 6s	98½	99¼
do series C 6s		99¾
S J & S Clara	4¾	48½
Southern Cal Gas 6s	99¾	101½
Sierra Ry of Cal 6	74	83

	Bid	Ask
S P RR of Cal 5	101¼	
S P Br R of Cal 6s	110	..
S P R R 1st ref 4s	..	86
do. 20-year 4	..	99
do. S F term 4	89¾	
Spring Valley Water 4s	89	..
Standard Oil of Cal 7s	105½	
Union Oil 5s	94¾	95
Union Oil of Cal 6s	101½	101⅞
United G & E 6	99½	
Valley Cos. Pwr. 5	96¾	99
Western Pacific Ry 5s	81	..
Wilson & Co. 6	92	
STOCKS		
Water		
East Bay Water A pfd	86	..
do B pfd	..	76
Spring Val Water	72	73
Gas And Electric		
Cal-Ore Power pfd	93¾	95
Great West Power, pfd	98	..
Great Western Pwr com	87¾	93¾
Los Ang C&E Corp pfd	91	91½
N. W. Elec, com	16	18½
Pac Gas Ist pfd	88½	..
do common	82½	83¼
Pacific Lighting pfd	78	
do common	197½	205
San Joaquin L & P pfd	..	91¼
do common	..	31
Western Power pfd	84	
do common	40	..
Railroad		
Market St. Ry prior pfd	68	
M St Ry 2d com	7½	
do preferred	36¾	..
S F-Sacto Ry pfd	64½	..
do common	4½	5½
Insurance		
Fireman's Fund Ins	325	
Home Fire & Marine	26½	27½
Oil		
Amalgamated Oil	101¾	
Associated	113½	..
Cal Petroleum, pfd	91½	93
Gen Petroleum, pfd	23½	
do common	27¾	27¾
Honolulu Oil	7⅞	8
N A Oil	95	100
Pacific Oil	45¾	46
Pinat Dome Oil	47½	
Standard Oil of Cal	114	
Sterling Oil & Dev	2¾	3½
Texas Consolidated	125	145
Union Oil of Cal	187	..
do Associate	184½	
Union Oil of Del	15¼	..
West Coast Oil Co	95	100
Miscellaneous		
Alaska-Pack Assn	138	144
American Gold Dredg	1⅛	6
Cal Ink pfd	93	
Cal Copper	..	127½
Cal Cot Mills pfd	..	99
do common	46	50
Cal Packing Corp	81	81½
F. E. Booth pfd	6½	7½
Federal Tel. Co	6⅞	7
Hawaiian Pineapple	97	..
Holt Mfg	88	90
Haiku Fruit & Pkg	32¾	
Haiku Fruit & Pool	32¾	33¼
Magnavox Company	110	200
Natomas of Cal pfd	3	4½
Paraffine, pfd	86	89
do common	19	25
Sperry Flour pfd	97	100
do common	46	50
Telephone Inv Corp	16	23

TURKEY MARKET BREAKS AT BAY

Heavy Receipts From Oregon Have Some Effect On San Francisco Prices

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—The turkey market was much weaker and completely demoralized. Some attribute the break in prices to the heavy receipts from Oregon, others to the large percentage of number two stock arriving while a few are of the opinion that demand is unusually light. Early in the morning large dealers paid as high as 40 cents per pound for very fancy dressed turkeys, but this was largely speculative and much lower prices, ranging from 30 to 35 cents were reported later.

The receipts of dressed turkeys arriving for Thanksgiving season by rail are closely estimated at 175, loads, but this does not take into consideration the arrivals by truck or the receipts of live turkeys which have been rather heavy.

Seven or eight cars of dressed turkeys are said to have arrived from Oregon and much of these receipts were bought outright at much higher prices than they will bring on the market at this time.

POULTRY—Broilers, 1 to 1½ lbs., 33@36c; 1½ to 1¾ lbs., 30@32c; fryers, 28@30c; young roosters, colored 3½ lbs. and up 28@30c; stagsy, 21@23c; colored old roosters, 17@18c; leghorn old roosters, 14@15c; leghorn hens, 2½ to 3 lbs., 18@20c; 1 lb. and over 24@27c; large colored hens, 29@31c.

DUCKS—Young, 18@20c.

GEESE—Young, 28@30.

LIVE TURKEYS—Old, 30@32c; spring, 30@35c. Dressed turkeys—24@36c.

BELGIAN HARES—Live, 15@18c; dressed, 18@22c.

SQUABS—Live fancy, 55@60c.

SUGAR AND COFFEE

NEW YORK, Nov. 29—Sugar firm, raw, 5.75; refined, firm; granulated 7.10@7.25.

COFFEE—No. 7 Rio, spot, 11c; No. 4 Santos, 15½@15¾c.

LIBERTY BONDS	
3s	$100.10
Second 4s	97.60
First 4¼s	98.16
Second 4¼s	97.86
Third 4¼s	98.22
Fourth 4¼s	98.00
New 4¼s	99.28
Victory 4¾s	100.24

EXTRA PULLET EGGS ADVANCE

Extras Drop One Cent On Bay Dairy Exchange; Butter Unchanged

SAN FRANCISCO BEE BUREAU, Nov. 29.—Extra eggs declined one cent and extra pullets were advanced 1½ cents at the exchange this morning. Exchange sales amounted to 110 cases extras at 59 cents; 20 cases extras at 59½ cents; 10 cases extras at 60 cents; 40 cases extra pullets at 49 cents; 100 cases extra pullets at 49½ cents.

Stocks of eggs in local wholesale hands at the opening of business this morning amounted to 1,919 cases.

There was no change in butter prices this morning. Exchange sales were light amounting to 20 boxes extra squares at 48½ cents, and 10 boxes extra squares at 48 cents per pound.

Stocks of butter in local wholesale hands at the opening of business this morning amounted to 4,236 squares and 3,278 cubes.

There were no sales of cheese at the exchange this morning.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Butter extras, 48c; firsts, 46c.

Eggs, extras, 59c; extras, pullets, 49½c; under sized pullets, 40c.

Cheese, California flats, fancy, 23.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 29.—Butter, 50. Eggs, extra, 57; case count, 55; pullets, 46.

SAN FRANCISCO LIVESTOCK

Quotations furnished through the United Press by Federal-State Livestock Market News Service, based on prices off cars at San Francisco:

Cattle—Steers, good, $7.75@8.00; medium, $7.00@7.50; common, $6.00@6.75; cows, good, $5.75@6.00; medium, $5.25@5.50; common, $4.00@5.00; canners and cutters, $2.00@3.50; calves, 150 to 200 pounds, $7.75@8.00; 200 to 250 pounds, $7.50@7.75; 250 to 300 pounds, $7.00@7.50; over 300 pounds, $5.50@6.50.

Hogs—Grain fed, light, $10.50@11.00; heavy, $8.00@8.50.

Sheep and lambs—Lambs, $13.50@14.00; ewes, $6.50@6.50; wethers, $8.50@10.00.

VEGETABLES ARE WEAK AT BAY

Fruits Steady With Little Change in Prices At San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO Nov. 29.—The market for potatoes, onions and all vegetables has been very weak. The fruit market is steady with very little change in prices.

Navel oranges are now being quoted lower with present prices ranging from $4 to $5.50 per box on choice and fancy grades.

Supplies light—Pineapples, plums, lemons, pears, peaches, berries, figs, melons, cabbage, peas, beans, summer squash, cauliflower, rhubarb, eggplant, tomatoes.

Supplies liberal—Bananas, apples, grapes, oranges, grapefruit, potatoes, celery, onions, spinach, lettuce.

Fruits

APPLES — Gravensteins, fancy 3½-4 tier, $1@1.50 per box; Bellefleurs, 1.10@1.50 per box; Newtown Pippins, $1.40@1.75.

CANTALOUPES—Honey Dew, 60c@$3c; Casaba, 50@35.

FIGS—Black, double layer crate, $1@1.50; California, 90c@$1.

GRAPES—Thompson Seedless, per lug, 2@3; Malagas, 50@1.00.

Muscats and Tokays, per crate, 50c@1.

GRAPEFRUIT—Southern California-Arizona, $4@5.50; Imperial, 6.50.

LEMONETTES—2.00@4.00.

LEMONS—Special pack, 8.50@9.50; choice, 6.50@8.50.

ORANGES—Valencias fancy, $5.50@6.50; choice, 3.00@6.50; Navels, fancy, 5.50@6.00.

PEACHES—Per crate, 75c@1.00.

PLUMS—Per crate, 1.50@2.25.

PEARS—Bartlett, $2.50@3.00; No. 2, 1.50@2.00.

PERSIAN MELONS—Per crate, 75c@1.25.

Vegetables

BEANS—12@20c.

BUNCHED VEGETABLES — Carrots, 50@60c per dozen; turnips, 55@60; beets, 55@60; parsley, 30c; radishes, 30c.

CABBAGE—Per lb., 1@1¾c.

CAULIFLOWER—Per dozen, $1.00@1.50.

CELERY—Per crate, local, $2.00@3.25.

LETTUCE—Per crate, local $1.25@1.75.

ONIONS—Stockton Red, $1.50@1.75 cwt; yellow, $1.50@1.75 cwt.

PEPPERS.— Bells, 6@8; chili 6@8c.

POTATOES — Rivers, 90c@1.15; Idaho and Washington, $1.40@1.60; Salinas, 1.75@2.00; sweet potatoes, 1¾@2¼c.

TOMATOES—Peninsula, 50@2.00.

EASTERN GRAPE SALES

The following is the latest report on grape sales in the Eastern markets:

New York—188 cars sold. Weather cold. Market lower, grapes steady; Pomegranates. Crates, Emperors, 30,000, 80c; Malagas, 23,000, $1; Cornichon, $1; Lugs—Emperors, 17,000, 66c; Mission, 10,000, 70c; Malagas, 7,000, 70c. Car sawdust lugs, Malagas $1.30; sawdust Emperors, $1.60; Cornichon, $1; Tokays, 57c; Carignane, 80c; Grenache, 70c; Alicantes, $1.50. Car, Lodi Drum Emperors, irregular quality, good condition, $3.90.

Newark—Cornichon, $1.07½ crates and lugs—Emperors, 85c to $1.25; Carignane, 70c to $1.10; Mission, 50c to $1.

Chicago—66 cars sold. Weather cold and cloudy. Market lower account increased offerings. Central Fruit Auction—Malagas, $1.30; lugs, 75c; Emperors, $1.10; Cornichon, 85c; lugs, $1.40; Mission and Muscats, 87c; Tokays, lugs, 50c. Green Fruit Auction—Emperor, $1.30; lugs, $1.10; Cornichon, $1.20; Mission, 90c; Muscats, 75c; Seedless, 85c; Malagas, $1.30, lugs, $1.10.

St. Louis—Lug, Emperors, 95c; Cornichon, $1.40.

Cleveland—Crates, Emperors, 90c; Cornichon, $1.05; lugs, Emperors, 70c; Cornichon, $1.15; Malagas, 85c; Mission, $1.10; Muscats, 80c.

Cincinnati—Emperors, crates, 85c; lugs, $1.20; Cornichon, $1.15.

Philadelphia — 56 cars sold. Weather cold. Market lower account increased offerings. Crates, Tokays, 90c; Emperors and Cornichon, $1.20; Malagas, $1.20; Almerias, $1.50; lugs, Tokays, 82c; Emperors, 90c; Malagas, $1.20; Cornichons, $1.45; Almerias, $1.60; Carignane and Mission, 85c; Muscats, 70c; Zinfandels, 80c.

New York market very much depressed, fully 25c lower grapes.

Baltimore—Tokays, 65c; Emperors, $1.65.

Boston—73 cars sold. Weather cold and cloudy. Market easier, lower all varieties. Crates, Emperors, $1.25; Cornichon, $1.10; Malagas, 80c; Tokays, 67c; Almerias, 60c; lugs, Alicantes, $1.65; Sirah, $1; Carignane and Missions, 75c; Malagas and Emperors, 80c; Tokays, 60c; Muscats, Black Prince, Zinfandels, Cornichon and Malvoise, 70c; Berger, 65c; Drum Emperors, $1.85.

Total fruit shipments to date, 1922, 26,449.

Total fruit shipments to same date, 1921, 26,595.

BAY GRAIN

Barley feed, $1.40@1.45; shipping $1.50@1.55.

Wheat milling, $2.00@2.10.

White Egyptian corn, $2.00@2.10; oats, red feed $1.65@1.80.

New York Stock Exchange
(TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS)

	High.	Low.	Close.
Allis Chal	41¾	41¼	41¾
Amer Loco	120¾	118½	120¾
Amer Smlt & R	51¾	50¼	51¾
Amer Stl Fd	43¾	43⅛	43¾
American Sug	28¼	27	27
Am T & T	122¼	122	122¼
Amer Teb	153	151¾	152¾
Amer Woolen	94¾	93½	94⅞
Anaconda Cop	47¾	46¾	47
Amer Oil	18¼	17¼	18¼
Assoc Oil	45⅞	40¾	45¼
Atch	101	99⅞	101
Atlantic Fruit	179	179	179
Baldwin Loc	117⅞	117¼	117¼
B & O	42⅞	40¼	42¾
Beth Steel	62½	61⅛	62¾
Brk Rpd Trns	16¾	14¾	16¾
Bruno Bros	140¼	139⅞	140
Butte & Sup	28	28	28
Cal. Packing	79	79	79
Central Leath	33¾	33¾	33¾
Can Pac R R	141½	140⅞	141⅜
Cerro De P Cop	39⅞	38¾	39⅞
Chandler Mot	61	60⅛	61
C & O	65¼	66¼	65¼
C M & St. P	23	22½	23
C M & St P pfd	36⅛	35⅛	36⅛
Chi Northwstrn	83	82	82¾
Chili Cop	27½	26¾	27¾
Chino Cop	23⅞	23½	23½
Coco Cola	77½	76⅛	77
Con Gas	126¼	125	125¾
Cosden Oil	47½	46½	47⅛
Crucible Steel	63¾	61⅛	63
Cuban Cane Sug	74	73⅛	73¾
End Johnson	88½	87½	88¾
Erie Com	10½	9⅞	10
Erie 1st pfd	15⅞	12½	14¾
Gen Asphalt	45⅞	40¾	45¼
Gen Elect	180	177½	180
Gen Motors	13⅞	13¼	13⅞
Goodrich	30½	30⅛	30¼
Great North RR	82¾	81¼	82¾
Ill Cent RR	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞
Inspiration Con	33	32¾	32⅞
Int. Nor. pfd	62	60⅛	61¾
Int Harvester	102	100	102
Kelly Springf'd	41½	40⅞	41⅜

	High.	Low.	Close.
Kennecott Cop	33¾	32¼	33¾
Lack Steel	76½	76½	76½
Lehigh Val RR	62⅞	62¼	62¾
Loews Inc. Co	18¾	18¼	18⅛
Mex Petrol Co	222	220	221½
Mex Seaboard	12	11½	12
N P Com	18	17¼	18
M P pfd	44	43	44
Nat Enam	62¾	62½	63¾
N Y Cent	91¼	92¼	94
North Amer Co	90¾	88¾	90¾
North. Pac. R R	77	75¼	77
Pac G & Elec	85½	83	85¼
Pacific Oil	46¾	45¼	45⅞
Pan Amer A	91⅞	89¾	91⅞
Pan Amer B	89¼	87¼	88½
Penn R R	45⅞	45¼	45⅞
Pierce Arrow	11½	11	11½
Pullman	126¼	125	125
Pure Oil	28⅞	28	28¾
P R Steel Sgs	76⅛	76⅛	76⅛
Rep Iron & Steel	45½	44½	45½
Reading R R	76½	75⅞	76⅞
Royal Dutch Oil	52¾	52¾	52¾
Sears Roebuck	82	79¾	81½
Sinclair Oil	21¾	21⅛	21¾
Southern Pac	85½	87⅞	88½
Stand Oil of Cal	114¾	112½	114½
Stand Oil of N J	196¾	192	195½
Transcont Oil	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞
Cal. Petrol	59¾	56½	57¾
Amer Can	71½	69½	70¾
West Pac	15⅞	15¾	15¾
Utah Cop	61½	61¼	61½
Famous Players	91½	89¾	91½
U. S. Rubber Com	50	49¼	49⅞
Union Oil of Del	15¾	15	15¾
United Fruit	153	152½	153
United Retail St	70¾	70⅛	70¾
Indust Alcohol	62	60⅞	61¾
West Elect	59¾	58	59¾
Wells Fargo	89¾	87	89
West Union	111½	111¼	111⅛
U. S. Steel Com	102¾	100⅞	102
do pfd	121½	120¾	120¾
Postum	109	108⅝	109
Texas Oil	47½	46⅞	47½
Union Bag & Pa	67	67	67

NEW HIGHS HIT BY INDUSTRIALS

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Professional operators resorted to a time honored maneuvre to-day.

Erie issues were subjected to sharp drives co-incident with the circulation of rumors of the road's financial condition. But these tactics only briefly interfered with the strong tone shown by the general list from the start of trading.

When issues recovered sharply following President Underwood's announcement of the extraordinary improvement of October earnings, the whole market resumed its advance.

New highs on the current rally were reached by most industrials and rails while exceptional strength was shown by the oil shares and specialists.

GRAIN PRICES CONTINUE DROP

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Grain prices continued to fall to-day on the Chicago Board of Trade and closed sharply higher.

Rain and hail storms in the Argentine, a heavy export trade and a smaller supply on the local market caused the sharp upturn. Provisions closed unchanged. December wheat opened up ⅝ at 118¾ and closed up ⅞. May opened up ⅝ at 116⅞ and closed up ⅝. July opened unchanged at 107⅞ and closed up ⅝.

December corn opened up ⅝ at 71½ and closed off ⅝. May opened unchanged at 70¼ and closed up ⅝. July opened up ⅝ at 69¾ and closed up ½.

December oats opened off ¼ at 42¾ and closed up ⅝. May opened up ⅛ at 42⅞ and closed up ⅛. July opened unchanged and closed unchanged.

MINITESTS
CAN YOU SOLVE THIS IN A MINUTE ?

What bird can be spelled by using all of the letters in the above three words?

The answer will be given tomorrow.

Answer to yesterday's puzzle:
ISRAEL
PUTNAM

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CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—HOGS—Receipts, 24,000; market higher; top, 8.50; bulk of sales, 8.10@8.35; heavyweight, 8.20@8.40; medium weight 8.25@8.40; lightweight, 8.25@8.50; light lights, 8.25@8.50; heavy packing sows, 7.60@8.00; packing sows rough, 7.35@7.70; pigs, 5.30@8.50.

CATTLE—Receipts, 11,000; market strong; choice and prime, 12.00@13.60; medium and good, 7.25@12.00; common, 5.35@7.25; good and choice, 9.55@12.00; common and medium, 5.00@9.55; butcher cattle and heifers, 4.50@10.75; cows, 3.75@8.00; bulls, 3.60@6.60; cows and heifers, 2.75@8.75; canner steers, 3.00@3.75; veal calves, 8.75@9.50; feeder steers, 5.25@7.75; stocker steers, 4.00@7.75; stocker cows and heifers, 3.00@5.25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 12,000; market irregular; lambs, 13.25@15.25; lambs cull and common, 9.25@13.00; yearling wethers, 9.25@12.60; ewes, 4.75@7.75; cull to common ewes, 2.75@5.00.

THE WEATHER

Local Office U. S. Weather Bureau
Fresno, California, November 29, 1922.
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Forecasts till 5 P. M. Thursday.

For Fresno and Vicinity—Fair, cooler to-night; Thursday fair with frost and probably fog in morning; light northwest wind.

For Northern California—To-night and Thursday fair; heavy to killing frost in morning.

GENERAL WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Light to moderate showers fell in the southern end of this valley and in Southern California during the last 24 hours and the sky remained overcast in those sections this morning. It was clear in Northern California this morning. Moderately heavy rains fell in Arizona and there was light snow in the Plateau attending the disturbance which is central over Utah and Northern Arizona this morning. The northern disturbance has reached the upper Mississippi Valley and accounts for higher temperature there. It was followed by snow and much colder in Montana and the Dakotas.

The ski will clear in this valley during the afternoon and fair weather is indicated for to-night and Thursday except probable fog in the morning. It will be cooler to-night and light to heavy frost may be expected.

W. E. BONNETT.

Observations Taken at 5 A. M. 75th Meridian Time

Stations	Highest yesterday	Lowest night	Precip last 24 hours
Boston	28	28	..
Buffalo	32	22	..
Chicago	38	32	..
Denver	36	24	
El Paso	46	30	.04
Eureka	50	38	
FRESNO	49	32	.01
Galveston	60	54	..
Kansas City	38	34	..
Los Angeles	58	48	.01
Memphis	44	36	..
Needles	72	52	..
New Orleans	62	44	..
New York	40	32	..
Phoenix	72	50	.10
Pittsburgh	34	32	.01
Portland	44	44	.01
Red Bluff	56	42	..
Sacramento	56	30	..
St. Louis	46	32	..
Salt Lake City	56	44	
San Diego	62	50	.01
San Francisco	58	44	..
San Luis Obispo	54	34	..
Seattle	44	28	..
Tonopah	40	24	..
Washington	40	34	..
Winnemucca	46	28	.04
Winnipeg	38	10	..
Yuma	76	50	.45

Special California Reports, 7 A. M.

Orchard Temperatures.

Stations	Max	Min	For Weath	Rain
Stockton	63	34	Pt. Cldy	0
Merced	60	35	nw Cloudy	0
FRESNO	48	41	nw Cloudy	.01
Hedley	..	..	nw Foggy	.14
Lindsay	53	41	0 Foggy	.15
East Lindsay	53	40	0 Foggy	.12
Porterville	56	38	0 Cloudy	.02
Bakersfield	52	41	nw Cloudy	.32

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Fresno, California, November 29, 1922
Local Data

	8 P. M.	4 A. M.	Noon
Barometer	29.80	29.74	29.76
Temperature, dry	47	42	44
Temperature, wet	45	42	44
Humidity, per cent	88	91	67
Rainfall	.01	..	..

Inches

Seasonal rainfall to date 1.14
Last year's rainfall to date 0.47
Normal rainfall to date 1.84
Average daily high temperature for November 66.
Average daily low temperature for November 41.
Highest yesterday: lowest to-day: 49 and 42
Orchard maximum and minimum 48 and 41.
High and low this date last year 56 and 40.
Time of sunrise to-day: 6:52, of sunset: 4:49.

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Wednesday, November 29, 1922

TRADING VARIES ON BAY MARKET

SAN FRANCISCO BEE BUREAU, Nov. 29.—Trading varied during the early session on the San Francisco Stock and Bond Exchange. Speculative stocks cancelled large fractions under end of the month profit taking. Choice stocks ruled quiet with pre-holiday dullness and the inactive group held no definite trend owing to wide spread in quotations.

Calif. Pkg. common selling ex dividend 1.50, dropped one and one-half points, selling at 80; General Pet. common, also selling ex dividend 50c, closed at 27¾; Pac. Oil was up one-half point.

Standard Oil of Calif. closed strong at 114; Honolulu Oil, a shade lower at 7⅞; Assn Oil sold at 114; Union Oil of Del. was unusually active on second call at 15¼; Great Western Power, pfd., of the power group, sold strong at 98¼. A sale of Pacific Lighting common brought 100⅝.

Pacific Gas common strengthened one full point, closing at 84¼. The preferred stock sold unchanged.

Pacific Telephone pfd. changed hands at 91. The final on Sperry Flour common was 48⅝. Miscellaneous bonds were sparingly offered with the list on the whole displayed continued firmness.

Great Western Power pfd. 7 per cent, strengthened to 106¼; Pacific Gas and Elec. 6s brought 102¼; Pacific Gas of 1940 held around 105½; Western Pacific Ry. 5s changed hands at 81; Miller and Lux unchanged at 102¼; California Gas and Elec. Unifying were a shade softer at 94⅞.

Liberty Bonds traded in recorded sales as follows:

Second 4¼s at 97.80 and fifth 4¾s of 1923, 100.30.

RALLY FEATURES EARLY TRADING

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Announcement of many constructive news developments over night imparted further vigor in the early stock dealings to the rally which proceeded through the greater part of the previous session. Rails and equipment especially were stimulated by indications that railroad buying of steel and rolling stock was gathering momentum. New York Central, Reading and Union Pacific scored fractional gains on initial transactions, while the general industrial list reached higher levels on the recovery.

Opening prices on the New York Stock Exchange to-day included:

Studebaker 119; New Haven 21½, up ¼; New York Central, 92¾, up ½; Reading 76¾; Anaconda 47, up ⅝; Corn Products 125¼, up ⅞; Baldwin 118, up ⅝; Standard Oil of New Jersey 192¾, up ¾; Pennsylvania 45½, up ¼; American Can 69¾, up ½; U. S. Steel 101½, up ½; Pan-American 91, up ½.

BANK CLEARINGS

PORTLAND, Nov. 29.—Clearings, $4,449,158.71.

TACOMA, Nov. 29. — Clearings, $3,426,000.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 29.—Clearings, $17,775,657.92.

PASADENA, Nov. 29.—Clearings, $818,343.26.

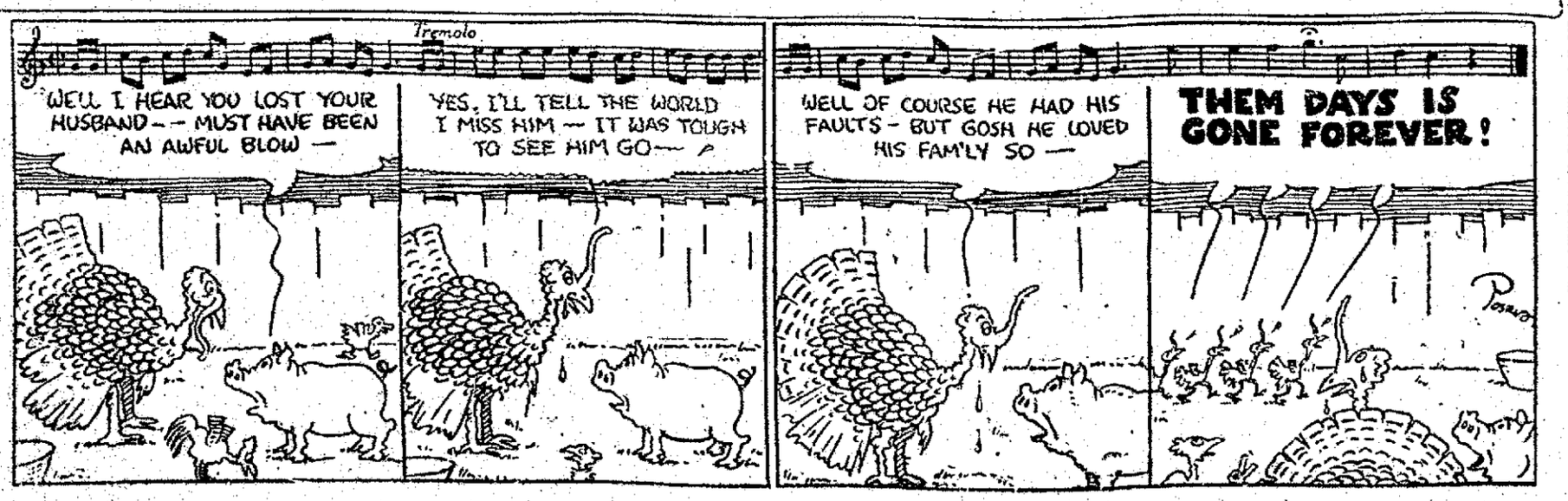
LONG BEACH, Nov. 29.—Clearings, $1,032,354.02.

SEATTLE, Nov. 29.—Clearings, $6,094,753.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Foreign exchange opened irregular. Sterling 452⅞, up ¼; francs .0684½, off 4½; lire .047 off ½; marks .00013½.

THEM DAYS IS GONE FOREVER—"I Got Those Barnyard BlueS" By AL POSEN



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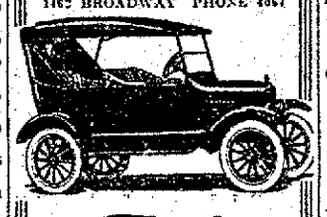

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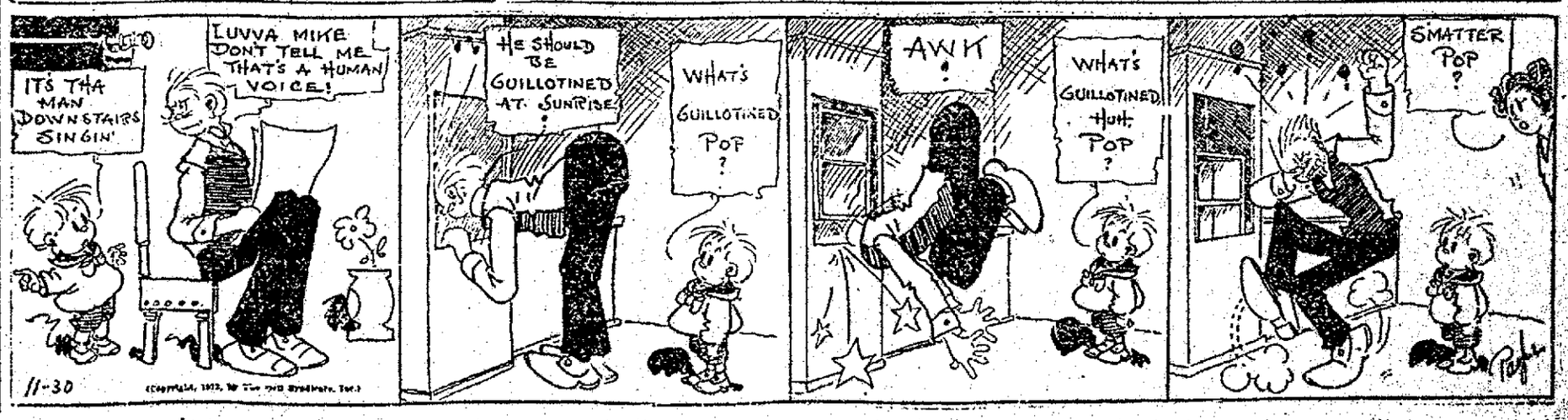

EDITORIAL PAGE OF THE BEE

Gadski Attack Shameful Prostitution Of Patriotism

Johanna Gadski, the singer, whose voice has charmed thousands, rescheduled to sing here Monday night, has been assaulted bitterly in the public prints as having celebrated the sinking of the Lusitania, as having been connected in some manner with the dynamiting of bridges in the United States and Canada and aided by money German "frightfulness" in a peaceful territory.

Were those charges true, a patriotic people would not care to hear her sing.

The Bee would do its share in publishing her damning record.

But patriotism should not operate upon suspicion.

Fresno should be certain of her facts.

In justice to Gadski, and in response to many queries on the subject, The Bee publishes upon its first page to-day a signed statement by that singer denying in full the charges of a blood-curdling pleasure in the murder of men, women and children; denying any participation in dynamiting bridges; and showing clearly how the United States Government and the American Legion regard her.

The accusations are further weakened by the unanimous acquittal of Captain Tauscher on a charge of violating neutrality.

It grows still weaker on learning that her husband has been granted citizenship papers, though the naturalization examiners can be presumed to be patriotic investigators.

They lose still more strength by her endorsement by the American Legion of New York.

They sink into chronic anemia from the dinner of farewell which the American ambassador at Berlin gave her before her departure for this country, for that official is not suspected of complicity in German plots.

And they die a natural and deserved death when one learns that the President of the United States, whose patriotism is above suspicion, sent the vice-president to represent him at her concert in Washington, attended also by the attorney-general, officers of the army and navy and others, whose patriotism is also above suspicion.

And the straight-out declaration by the department of justice officials in Washington that Madame Gadski was not disloyal during the war and that her husband is a desirable citizen of this country raises the question why these attacks should have been made.

The Gadski managers charge that rival managers are spreading the false charges in an effort to hurt the success of the concert, succeeding in the publication of the accusations by several newspapers not acquainted with the facts.

If that be true, then no German violations of neutrality were half so bad as the present prostitution of patriotism by Americans to coin dirty dollars.

The Germans at least served their country.

The invocation of sacred patriotism to support vicious lies is disloyalty of a shameless kind.

For it degrades patriotism to profit.

Unless these defamers of Gadski can controvert the department of justice and prove the President of the United States is mistaken in his beliefs the people of Fresno can hear Gadski's voice in perfect security that it did not sing hallelujahs over the murder of the innocent Lusitania victims.

She deserves more than a full house that Fresno shall right a wrong.

Progressive Ideals To Be Maintained In California

California must not go backward in her political and social life.

In this spirit was organized at San Francisco night before last, the Roosevelt Club of Northern California.

At the banquet, which marked the formation of the club, were many who have made progressivism a triumphant force in the state during the last twelve years.

And the keynote of the occasion was struck by Senator Hiram W. Johnson when he said:

With no sinister motive, we seek to organize forces that stand for decency in government; ever to be on guard, ever to be vigilant, ever for the state of California.

That some such active rally point for progressive sentiment is needed has been apparent to everyone who followed the occurrences of the recent campaign.

In this campaign, great corporations were seen active in behalf of certain men and measures in a way they had not been since the first election of Johnson as governor.

And such organization as the Better America Federation, inspired by an antipathy to everything progressive and to everything which had been accomplished for the betterment of the manhood, the womanhood and the childhood of the state; and determined to wipe all such legislation from the statute books, were actively engaged in sending to the legislature men who would carry out their wishes and accept their dictation.

Already, the lines are being laid down for the first chapter in the new struggle between those who would go forward and those who would go backward in the coming legislature.

The selfish and sinister interests, which found themselves baffled and undone during the entire regime of Hiram W. Johnson, are again in the open, determined if possible to regain control of the government.

They have been encouraged by some of the results of the election.

They think—but The Bee believes foolishly—that popular feeling is either indifferent or actually moving in their direction.

Formation of this club is notice to them that in the hearts of vast numbers of the citizenry there has been no diminution in the fervency of the progressive flame; no lessening of determination not only to preserve what has been won in the past, but to keep California in the forefront of the progressive states of the Union.

The inspiration of the great name of Roosevelt is significant of the purpose of the club.

It is the gospel of the square deal which is to be preached and practiced and kept at work in the politics of California.

This is a great purpose and a great ideal.

It should be a cementing force for the forward-looking citizens everywhere.

This club should live and grow and exert a great influence.

It will oppose those things and organizations which are bad and dangerous, and promote those measures which look to the public good, to efficient government, to building up the interests of the great mass of citizenry.

And to those who hoped that the progressive cause in California was passing, it will be an awakening to the fact that The People are as alert now as ever to maintain government of and for The People in California.

FORD'S ADVICE CONTAINS MUCH SOUND SENSE

Henry Ford has done some queer things in the past, with Peace Ships and the like, and said some queerer ones, as when he declared that art was all bunk. But his advice to young men starting on a business career contains sound sense, and is anything but the usual copybook hokum which success is prone to offer youth under these conditions.

Don't save your money, says Ford; spend it on acquiring experience. Few men begin to make much money till they are forty or over, and when they do begin, the more experience they have had the faster they will succeed.

You can't get rich by pinching pennies. A savings account is a good thing. But it should not be purchased at too high a price. If you never travel around, never see anything of life, never experiment, much good your savings account will do you.

A big business can't be started with a savings account. You have to have a big idea. And if you have a big idea, plenty of people will be more than willing to let you have the money to work it out.

Ideas come from experience. Get experience.

These ideas are not Ford's individual property. They are the principles on which every man who has attained conspicuous success in anything, business, science, art, literature, has worked.

It is a commonplace that many of the world's greatest men have spent most of their youth and young manhood in what the more conventional souls about them called loafing. They were getting experience. They knew that merely to work at something is not the sole duty of man, but to determine what he is going to work at and why; also that you can't make bricks without clay.

When such a man does start, the long period of apparent idleness generally proves to be what he knew—all along it would be—the most useful and productive period of his life.

It is remarkable, however, that Henry Ford, a big business man, should publicly proclaim principles which Big Business usually tries to keep exceedingly dark.

As a rule, Big Business is founded on the principle that other people must be encouraged to save their nickels so that it will have dollars to manipulate.

The best proof that Henry Ford's principles are the true ones lies in the fact that he has beaten Big Business at its own game without employing any of its conventional methods.

There is encouragement for youth in the example of a Ford which is not to be found in the example of a Rockefeller.

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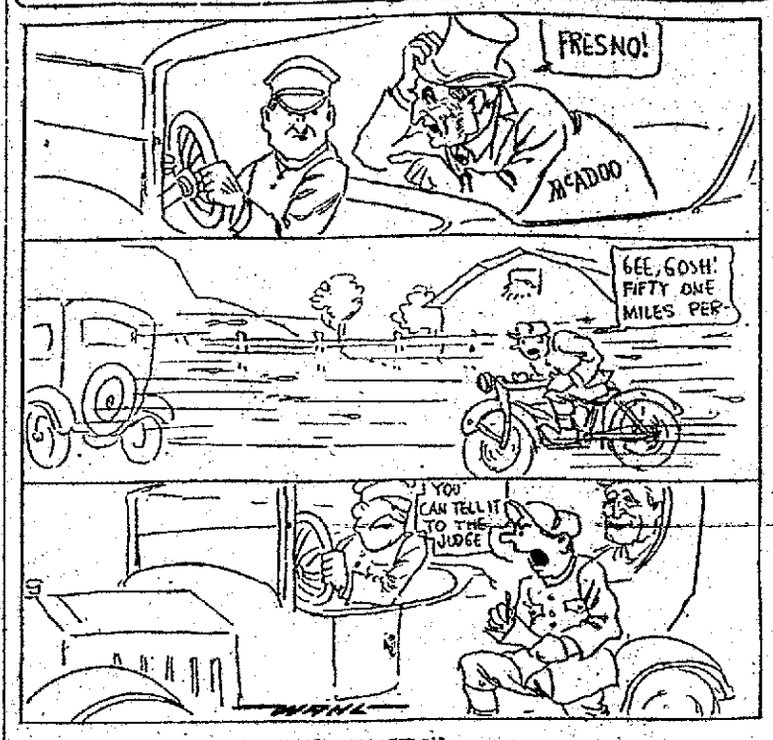

ALL OF WHICH PROMPTS A QUESTION—

WHO OWNS THE CAR?

THE BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES

Yowler The Bob Cat Plans For A Beaver Dinner

By THORNTON W. BURGESS
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Peter Rabbit's interest in the new pond of Paddy the Beaver deep in the Green Forest was wholly a friendly interest, the interest of curiosity. But there were others who took an even greater interest in the building of the new dam and the making of the new pond. One of these was Yowler the Bob Cat. It wasn't a friendly interest that Yowler took. Oh, my, no! It was anything but a friendly interest. It was a wholly selfish interest. Yowler was all the time thinking of his stomach.

Most of That Night Yowler Spent Watching Paddy and Mrs. Paddy Work.

Yowler had not happened to be about when Paddy and Mrs. Paddy began the new dam. In fact, the new dam was already of considerable size, and a small pond had already been formed before Yowler happened along that way. Perhaps you can imagine how surprised he was when one night he came stealthily prowling along and discovered a pond where there was no pond the last time he had come that way.

Now Yowler is one of those people of the Green Forest who always are suspicious. Whenever he sees, smells or hears anything new and strange he at once sets out to find out all about it, or at least to try to. At the sight of that new pond he stopped short, and for a long time stared at it without moving. After a while he noticed that the pond was little by little moving. After a while he noticed that the pond was little by little growing larger. Then in the shadows on the far side he saw a silvery line moving, and he knew at once that some one was swimming there.

Without making a sound he stole around that side of the pond. When he got there no one was to be seen in the water. Yowler crouched down and waited. Yowler is nothing if not patient. By and by he heard a little splash, and then he saw Paddy the Beaver swimming with a long stick. Softly, as silently as a shadow, Yowler followed along the shore. At last he came to the new dam and saw Paddy place that stick in it.

Of course he understood everything then. He understood that that new dam was making the new pond, and that it was all the work of Paddy the Beaver. At least that is what he thought at first. But presently he saw Mrs. Paddy at work on the dam too. A fierce joy filled the heart of Yowler the Bob Cat. He had never been able to catch Paddy, but here was a newcomer who might not be as smart as Paddy. Besides, with two Beavers about he ought to have twice as many chances as he had had before.

Most of that night Yowler spent in watching Paddy and Mrs. Paddy work, but he took the greatest care not to let them know it. Not once did he show himself. Not once did he snap a twig or rustle a leaf.

He was back there the next night and the next and the one after that. He was studying the ways of Paddy and Mrs. Paddy. When they went off down to their old pond to rest in their house there, Yowler went all over their new dam from end to end. He studied the ground and the surroundings at both ends of it to see if there might not be a chance to catch one of those Beavers when they were at work on one of the ends. But he couldn't find a hiding place near enough, and so he wisely decided to wait.

When the dam was finished and Paddy and Mrs. Paddy began to cut their food supply and float the logs and branches down to the new dam and then drag them across Yowler saw at once that this point on the dam was the one place where he might have a chance to catch a beaver dinner, and he at once began to plan it.

The next story: "The Cunning of Yowler the Bob Cat."

WHO OYAT EN ERE?

Do You Know—

Do You Know—

WHO succeeded Lloyd-George as prime minister of England?
WHY can we see through glass?
WHAT is uranium?
WHEN was Thanksgiving Day first celebrated?
WHERE is the deepest part of the ocean?

ANSWERS TO YESTERDAY'S QUERIES

The phrase, "Hell is paved with good intentions" is attributed to Dr. Johnson.

Cocoa takes its name from "cacauti," the Mexican name for beverage.

Delaware has fewer counties than any other state—only three.

The U. S. S. MAINE was blown up on the night of February 15, 1898.

Dismal Swamp is in southeastern Virginia and northeastern North Carolina.

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Can You Tell?

By R. J. and A. W. BODMER

No. 37 When Ball Playing, Tennis And Golf Originated

As specimens of balls are to be found in the British Museum that are more than 4,000 years old, balls have been played with since the earliest times. Egyptian balls of wool, flax, twisted papyrus and pottery have been found as well as of cane and other materials.

Tennis was first played in France, the ball being batted back and forth by the hand. In the reign of Charles V it was a great gambling game. In order to protect the hand from injury a glove was worn. Later the idea of winding cords around the hand in order to give greater speed developed, and from this came the racket. Hand tennis, as the game was called, was played principally by men and boys, although there is a record of one woman player participating in Paris in 1424.

The game of golf is said to have been played by the Romans. The ball was stuffed with feathers, and the distances of the drives was far short of what we get today. Down through the years change after change in the form of playing type of ball and clubs took place until our modern game was reached.

Top-spinning began in Japan and spread through Persia, China and India, where grown people as well as children are to-day the most expert professional spinners.

The game of marbles is said to have had its origin in the game of bowls. The types of marbles in existence in museums show clearly that the game is very old. These were made of small stones, nuts and pottery.

The mystery of the appearance of marbles and tops annually without prompting from the calendar is one of the inexplicable things. They appear suddenly each year, have their vogue and disappear as quickly for another year.

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Correct English

A Daily Quiz

What is amiss with the sentence, "I wore my alapaca gown"?

Which is the correct form, ALUMINUM or ALUMINIUM?

Is it correct to say, "He wants to see you very badly"?

Improve the sentence, "I'll be back in an hour."

What is the past tense of BID?

Answers to Tuesday's Questions.

Although WHETHER OR NOT is more strictly correct, usage has sanctioned also, WHETHER OR NO.

ACOUSTICS, though plural in form, requires a verb in the singular.

ACOUSTICS is pronounced "a-koos'tix."

ADVENT should be used only of that which is important or sacred. Say, therefore, "The arrival (not 'advent'), of the dishwasher was hailed with joy."

BILLVILLE LITERARY NOTES
(From the Atlanta Constitution.)

The leading literary man of the community informs us that he will not make enough cotton to pay off the mortgage on his latest novel.

The author of the most successful poems of the year has just closed a contract to split sixty miles of rail fencing. He is a hustler, and we are glad to have him in our midst.

INCOMPLETE INFORMATION
(From the Boston Transcript.)

We are now exactly twelve hundred feet above the level of the sea.

What sea?

The guide book doesn't say.

Merely Some Private Thinks
By C. K.

THE CURRENT issue of Hearst's International has a very interesting article by Anna Louise Strong, entitled: What Is Happening to Oil in Russia.

One statement has been made before, but will bear repetition:

> Meanwhile, while Britain sat secure (more or less) in Baku, the armies of Denikin, financed by British gold, and helped by our own American Red Cross, drove northward, threatening the very center of Russia during that darkest year of 1919.

Those generous Americans who responded nobly to the Red Cross appeal to "give and give, and give and give until it hurts," probably will not be overjoyed to know that a goodly portion of that which they and others illy could spare, went to the aid of soldiers on one side of a civil war in Russia.

Robert Barry, a writer for the Philadelphia Public Ledger, whose correspondence from Washington is printed also in the London Times, is furnishing exceedingly pro-British and international copy, especially on the subject of the cancellation of the debts owed by the Allies. Among other things, he wrote in a recent letter:

> Domestic politics forbid a cancellation policy. That explains Mr. Hoover's declaration in his political address.
>
> Yet few doubt that the answer is as given many months ago by the former Prime Minister of Italy, Signor Nitti: "Debts will not be cancelled or paid."

Not only American "domestic politics" forbids a cancellation policy, but ordinary gratitude and some slight sense of honor on the part of the Allies should join therewith.

Uncle Sam has been a sucker long enough. He will become a plain, ordinary, idiotic damphool if he permits the thankless nations of Europe to swindle his own citizenry and place upon their already overtaxed shoulders the additional burden of the more than $11,000,000,000 these ingrates owe him.

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The shameful imperialism, broken faith, Rob Roy tactics, and unjustifiable thefts of Christian nations to-day lend spice and justification to a recent remark by the Archbishop of Canterbury:

> I have never forgotten the words of an agnostic friend, a true searcher after truth. He said: "I would like to be a Christian, and I think I could be if it were not for the Christians."

* * *

If you see The Skin Game at the theater, notice the quality and variety of slang poured forth by Jill, the daughter of a very conservative old English house.

It may amaze you, but its use by educated English women and girls is not one whit exaggerated by Galsworthy.

And yet English women will say to America: "I think your women use the most horrible slang."

It is written in Matthew 7,V:

> First cast out the beam that is in thine own eye; and then shalt thou see clearly to cast out the mote out of thy brother's eye.

* * *

There is considerable evidence to the effect that aerial navigation was known to some extent in the Orient before the birth of Christ.

Also, more recent excavations would tend to show that a female conceivably like the "flapper" of to-day perambulated around the streets of Egyptian cities centuries before Cleopatra was born.

It was written in Ecclesiastes 1:9:

> The thing that hath been, it is that which shall be; and that which is done is that which shall be done; and there is no new thing under the sun.

SCIENCE SIMPLIFIED

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LUNCH BASKETS FOR BABY PLANTS

To most folks seeds are merely little things which one buys in envelopes decorated with pretty pictures and plants more or less hopefully in the garden. I suppose not one amateur gardener out of a hundred knows or cares what really is inside a seed. Sometimes—unfortunately—there is nothing, but we are talking about good seeds.

Take a sharp knife and carefully peel off the outer skin of an ordinary bean seed. Inside you will find two flatish, oval objects, pressed together face to face, a good deal like the two halves of an old-fashioned locket. Only instead of being hinged at the side these plates inside the seed are fastened together at one end, and at this end you will find lying between the plates and partly imbedded in them, a tiny white kernel which is really the essential part of the seed, the embryo, the thing which will become the new plant. When the seed sprouts it is this embryo which develops. From one end of it comes out the root; from the other end starts the little stem which will ultimately be the stalk. But what are the two locket-halves that surround and cover the embryo?

These are the lunch basket for the baby plant. Mature plants manufacture their own food, procuring the raw materials for it from the soil and the air. But to do this a plant must have quite an equipment, including roots, green leaves and other organs. The tiny plant which is first formed when the embryo develops has none of this equipment and some days at least must pass before it will be able to produce its own food and become self-supporting. Were the little plantlet cast out into the world without food to cover this initial period it would die as surely as would a human infant similarly unprovided for. And so the mother plant puts up a lunch for it to take along. The flattened locket-halves are mainly starch, manufactured by the mother plant and stored here in the seed. As it develops the embryo feeds on this starch and obtains thereby the strength to go through its first few days of growth and construct the food manufacturing machinery which will serve for its later life.

Practically all seeds contain similar stores of food. A grain of wheat, for instance, has a tiny embryo at one end but most of the grain is starch—again to feed the sprouting embryo. The cotton seed carries oil instead of starch. This is where we get cotton seed oil—but the oil is baby plant food just as the starch was. And when we use the starch of wheat for flour or press the oil out of the cotton seed we are simply pilfering the lunch which mamma had put up to help the baby plant get started in the world.

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CRITICISES OFFICIALS

Assessments For Pine Flat Project Called Unfair.

Fresno, Calif., Nov. 27.

Editor The Bee—Sir:

I am not a pessimist, and do not intend to knock the Pine Flat project, for I think it is one of the most important propositions that this part of the state has ever undertaken. I only want to criticise the actions of the officials of the Foothill Irrigation District.

It was understood by every one that the money to finance this project was to be raised by assessment on the acreage of land in each district. The first assessment was made a year ago and was from less than 5 cents an acre to over $3.00 per acre.

The executive committee of the Foothill District at the courthouse in Fresno, on September 14 ordered another assessment for preliminary work for the next year. One cent per acre was the amount they decided to levy, which they said would raise a fund of $10,000.

I have now received notice of my assessment, which is 50 cents per acre. Last year it was almost $1.00 per acre. An adjoining neighbor's was more than $1.50 per acre. One owning 1.45 acres was assessed more than $3.00 per acre. Also, another 440 acres was taxed only $20.10, which is less than 5 cents per acre.

Is this justice? Must those that have spent a whole lot of money in improving their acreage be taxed to increase the value of the unimproved land, which is mostly held for speculation? In an irrigation project, acreage only should be taxed, and a person that has improved his acreage should not be penalized for doing so.

Also, if 1 cent per acre raises a tax of $10,000, what is the object in assessing 50 cents per acre? Are the financial officials mental cripples?

Anyone wanting proof of the allegations I have made need only consult the delinquent tax list which was published frequently.

Respectfully yours, C. A. SIMON.

With The State Press

THE SCHOOLS COUNT
(From Bakersfield Morning Echo)

It is an encouraging sign that a movement is under way to honor teachers, even the humblest. Schools are great blessings, even the small ones.

In these days of consolidated schools one would think the controversy over the worth of the little red schoolhouse might die out. Yet only recently an educational authority repeated the assertion of modern schoolmen that one girl cannot successfully teach the three "R's" to twenty or thirty mischievous school children of all ages and grades of school progress.

As usual, defenders appeared who eagerly championed the old red schoolhouse. Hadn't it produced most of the nation's greatest men and women? Didn't its products rank just as well, proportionately, as the products of the elaborate metropolitan educational systems?

There is a good deal to be said in favor of the little schoolhouse, but there is also the lurking suspicion that many of its noblest achievements have come in spite of its weaknesses, not because of them.

PICKING TOYON
(From Oakland Tribune)

At this season it is in order to remind everybody that picking toyon or red berries from public property under any circumstances and from private property except with the consent of the owner, is a misdemeanor. The wholesale destruction of the bushes bearing these berries led to the passage of laws for their protection, and violations of the law has led to the formation of a society whose mission is to see that the law is enforced. If this is borne in mind it may save trouble for the thoughtless, who are apt to ravage this attractive growth along the roadside.

POWER FOR RIGHTEOUSNESS
(From Hughson News)

For over a month past there comes to our exchange table a copy of The Fresno Bee, Fresno's new evening paper. We always await its coming with impatience and are extremely displeased if it fails to show up.

It's a paper that's different. It's editor acts according to the admonition contained in the rhyme that comes to our mind: "If you've anything to say, true or needed, yea or nay—say it." The Bee man invariably says it—speaks right out in meetin'.

Sometimes he says it with flowers, and quite often, for the sake of emphasis, with brick-bats. Anyway he says it and gets away with it.

We like this frank and forward editorial policy and so do many others of the press boys who know that an honest editor is the noblest work of God. Just watch The Bee—it's a power to promote state and civic righteousness.

A Fairy Bride

By EARL STRACHAN

Continued From Yesterday

THEN off go some to find the priest,
While others prepare the wedding feast,
Soon on the sward was a table placed,
The daintiest goodies its center graced;
While all the time with jest and laugh,
The Fairy folk O'Hara chaff.
But his bride-to-be, with airy jest,
Gaily protects the honored guest.

At last with a look of great relief,
To the merry Fays spoke the Fairy chief;
And they turned to gaze, and from out the east,
Riding a gray goose came the priest.
"We have found him the priest," said the Fairy King,
"But now we must get him a wedding ring."
Then shown in his eyes a merry gleam,
As he hastened and captured a bright sunbeam.

"Give it to me," cried a Fairy old,
"I'll make him a ring more precious than gold;
One that will fairy blessings bring—
A ray of the sun for a wedding ring."
Then with a skillful and steady hand
He fashioned the beam into love's own band.
"Here, O'Hara, is a gift from me,
With wishes good for thy bride and thee."

Then all the Fairies range around,
And the wedding knot by the priest is bound;
And O'Hara, with manner bright and gay,
Takes as his bride the dainty Fay.
Then at the table, wide and long,
Sit down the merry Fairy throng.
O, never was such a sight, I ween,
As was seen that day on the forest green.

There was singing and laughter and jesting gay;
On the pine tree branches, which gracefully sway,
Sat feathered songsters who brought to life
Sweet songs for O'Hara and his wife.
But soon the sun sank in the west—
And even Fairies, you know, must rest.
But before they bade their guest farewell,
They carried him safe from the Fairy dell.

Now many years have passed away
Since O'Hara wed the dainty Fay.
But still on Ireland's hills of green
He and his Fairy wife are seen.
And oft on the lightning, swift and grand,
They journey afar to Fairy Land;
And as the old wives hear them ride,
They say, "There go O'Hara and his bride."

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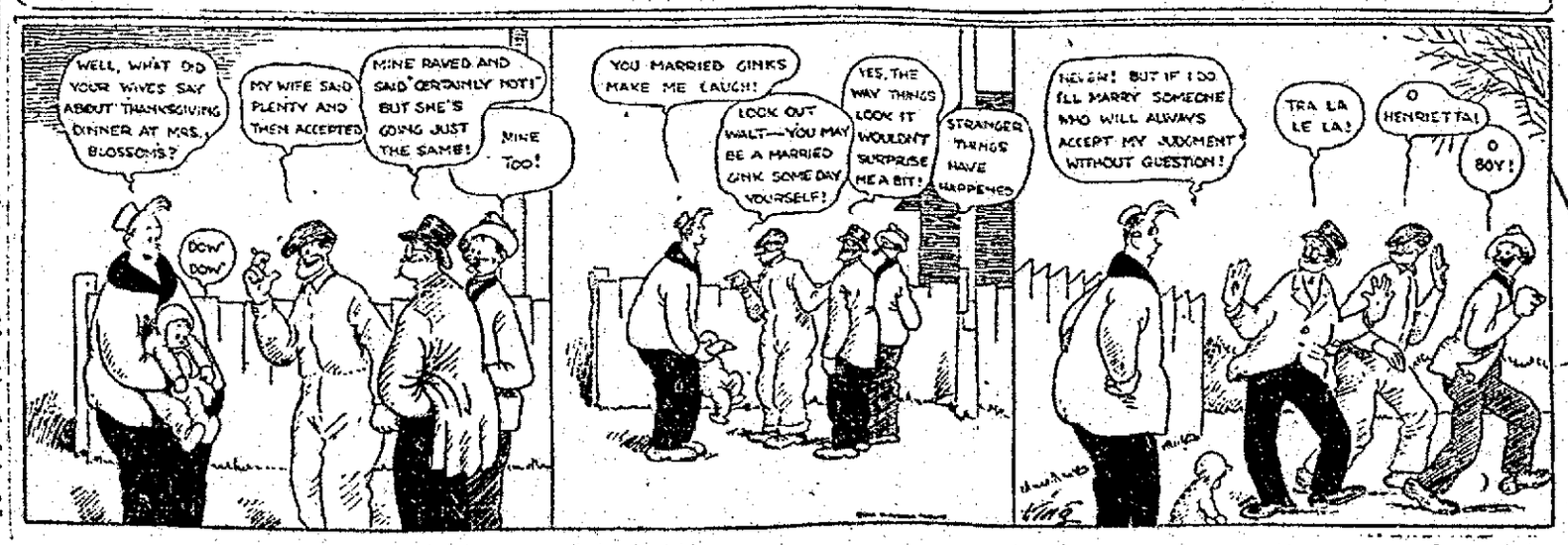
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